

# BRITISH STRIKE CLOUDS MAY BREAK

## GRAND JURY CONSIDERS NESBITT MURDER

### BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE; LOSS \$10,500

Entire Contents Destroyed Before Flames Discovered and Help Was Summoned On John H. Harner Farm

Fanned by a brisk wind, fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed a large barn on the farm of John H. Harner, Upper Bellbrook Pike, two miles west of Xenia, with a loss to building and contents estimated at \$10,500, Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Loss is only partially covered by insurance.

Loss to the building is estimated at \$3,000 and contents were valued at \$7,500.

The barn housed 2,000 bushels of corn, 1,400 bushels of oats, an automobile, and almost all the farm machinery including a tractor, binder, mower and other equipment.

The blaze was first discovered by Mr. Harner, who was plowing in an adjoining field. It rapidly gained headway and for a time threatened to spread to the house and other buildings. Only the fact the wind was blowing in another direction saved every building from destruction, it is thought.

Neighboring farmers, joined in an ineffectual attempt to fight the blaze but were without adequate facilities.

The structure burned to the ground and the contents were entirely destroyed. Cause of the blaze is unknown as nothing combustible was stored in the barn, the owner said.

### RECOMMEND WAYNE COUNTY FOR FEEBLE MINDED HOME SITE

Committee Of State Department Also Has Two Others

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—Acquisition of a farm near Apple Creek, Wayne County, as the site for the state's new Northeastern Ohio institution for the feeble minded, was recommended in a report submitted to state Welfare Director Harper today by the welfare department advisory committee. The committee is also considering two alternative sites—one near New London and the other near Ravenna.

The price of the Apple Creek site the committee reported would aggregate \$301,599; for New London, \$278,411 and for Ravenna \$226,340. The committee said the cost of establishing a waterworks and softening processes at the New London site probably would make it the most expensive of all.

The topography around Ravenna would make construction of an insulating reservoir very difficult, the committee further reported.

Harper was away from the city today but announced before his departure that as soon as the committee had submitted its recommendations he would select the site.

Selection of the Apple Creek site was virtually conceded in state house circles.

### BOSTONIAN GLAD TO LEAVE ROMAN JAIL

ROME, May 5.—"You bet I am glad to be out!" John Adams Abbott, prominent young Bostonian, told the United Press following his release after nine days of imprisonment in a Roman jail. Arrested after a fight with a guide, Abbott was liberated when a magistrate was satisfied he had made no derogatory remarks regarding Premier Mussolini.

"I was treated fine in prison," he continued. "Life there was much better than it was outside. I certainly did not utter Mussolini's name."

### GIRL USES PISTOL TO DEFEND HONOR

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—Clifford Maze, 21, was reported dying and Miss Jean Tennyson, 17, was held by police today, following a joy ride which ended on a lonely road near here last night.

Miss Tennyson told police she shot Maze in defense of her honor during an attempt at criminal assault.

### SPRING WEATHER CHECKS INFLUENZA

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—The wave of influenza which has swept the state has been checked by the mild spring weather, the state health department announced today.

Measles is still prevalent, however, the department warned.

HEADS SCHOOLS

MARION, O., May 5.—Jesse H. Mason, formerly of Chillicothe, has been re-elected superintendent of Marion School at a salary ranging from \$6,000 to \$7,500 annually.

### Millionaire



The news that she had just inherited \$2,300,000 didn't seem to make much impression on Gloria Morgan Vanderbilt, of New York, shown with her mama. She'd probably trade it all for a doll with blue eyes that open and close.

### CONVICT THREE FOR DEATH CONSPIRACY AND WITHOUT MERCY

Expect Trio Will Die In Chair For Brutal Murder

POMEROY, O., May 5.—Three men probably will die in the electric chair for the brutal murder of James McCumber, 65, whose body was found in an abandoned cistern here several weeks ago. This was expected to be the decree of the court, when John Bryant, negro bootlegger and Richard Rhodes and John Hedrick, white, hired assassins are arraigned for sentence.

A jury here last night found Bryant guilty of hiring Rhodes and Hedricks to kill McCumber. Hedricks turned states evidence, implicating Rhodes and Bryant.

Mercy was not recommended and unless mitigating circumstances are developed the court is expected to sentence the three men to death.

Hedricks confessed Bryant paid him and Rhodes \$30 to dispose of McCumber, who had been an avowed enemy of the negro.

### FRENCH CABINET TO DISCUSS LOW FRANCH

PARIS, May 5.—Premier Briand today summoned his cabinet to meet tomorrow to discuss means of checking the record-breaking slump of the franc, which again carried it to a new low level today. The cabinet will also discuss the Moroccan situation.

One American dollar today was worth 31.51 francs and an English pound sterling was worth 153 francs.

### BELIEVE SALESMAN WILL PLEAD GUILTY AFTER INDICTMENT

Second Degree True Bill Would Make Trial Unnecessary

TROY, O., May 5.—The Miami County grand jury tomorrow is scheduled to begin writing what may be the epilogue of the now famous Frances Drake Nesbitt murder.

The jury, which today was disposing of routine business, is expected to consider the indictment of Jacob Nesbitt, the young salesman who confessed he slew his wife during a "red rage."

The course of the jury's action, it was believed, will determine Nesbitt's fate. If, as it is believed he will be, he is indicted on charges of second degree murder, he is expected to plead guilty.

Second degree murder would carry a penalty of life imprisonment, or less. If an indictment charging first degree murder is returned, however, Nesbitt, is expected to stand trial.

The only other alternative, it was pointed out today, is that Nesbitt could be adjudged insane and committed to some state institution. County Prosecutor L. E. Harvey said he was prepared to present his case. By his drastic threat to force any person who insisted upon inferring scandal is being covered up in the Nesbitt case, Harvey has stopped rumors about "some one being involved and protected."

The prosecutor forced one newspaper reporter and an investigator, whom the reporter had quoted, to admit they had no grounds for scandal suspicions they voiced.

Harvey also has a "pleasant surprise" awaiting a number of Troy citizens, whom he was reported to have heard gossiping in the form of subpoenas to testify before the grand jury.

L. H. Shipman, Nesbitt's attorney, will not admit he contemplates a guilty plea from Nesbitt but does admit he has not prepared any special line of defense, and that he does not believe a first degree murder indictment will be returned.

This was interpreted as meaning that in the event he is indicted for less than first degree murder, Nesbitt will plead guilty.

### MATTHIAS TO SEEK OHIO BENCH AGAIN

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Edward S. Matthias, of Van Wert today filed his formal declaration of candidacy for re-election to the state bench. Judge Matthias is a Republican.

Of the three members of the supreme court whose terms expire this year, Judge Matthias is first to file for re-election. He was elected to the bench in 1914 and was re-elected in 1920.

The petition was signed by five common pleas judges, of north-west counties.

### SAYS CONGRESS TO ADJOURN JUNE 1

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Rep. Tilson, Republican floor leader and virtual dictator of the house, told President Coolidge today the house and senate would adjourn about June 1.

He said the English impeachment trial would go over to November, when the senate would meet two weeks earlier than the house, in special session.

### GREAT BRITAIN NEEDS AMERICAN WITH LABOR TO PREVENT RECUR

By United Press  
Written For The United Press

Great Britain will never settle her recurring strike crises until American methods of efficiency in production and American standards of hard work and high wages are accepted by the British.

Threats to tie up industry in the United Kingdom are signs of a revolt against low living conditions, dangerous to the British, because the British have not yet harmonized relations between employers and employees.

The cause of the industrial unrest by the British is symbolized by the conditions in the coal industry, it costs two or three times as much to mine coal in Great Britain as it does in the United States. Antiquated methods, limit of out-

### Strike Photo by Radio



This is the first picture of an actual strike scene in London to reach the United States by the new commercial radio process. The three labor czars are shown—left to right, Arthur Henderson, Ramsay MacDonald and J. H. Thomas, on the way to a conference.

### SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA CHARGES SOKOLOFF WITH MIS-CONDUCT

Members Sign Petition Against Leader of Cleveland Body—Harpist Resigns Rather Than Play Under Director

CLEVELAND, O., May 5.—Discord in the ranks of the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra, resulting from the alleged misconduct of director Nikolai Sokoloff, presented two new developments today.

They were: Submission of a petition to Dudley S. Blossom, vice president of the Musical Arts Association of Cleveland, charging Sokoloff with "conduct unbecoming a gentleman." The petition bears the signatures of ninety-six members of the orchestra.

Resignation of Miss Laura Newell Valisi, harpist, who announced her conscience "would not permit her to remain a member of the orchestra after the recent Dayton affair."

The petition was presented to Blossom by Albert E. Clarke, trombonist and relates to the incident in Dayton on April 28, when a concert was held up an hour as a result of difficulties arising in the afternoon rehearsal.

Two members left the orchestra after an altercation with Sokoloff. "I have no personal grievance, but I am not a hypocrite," Miss Valisi said in explaining the reason for her resignation. "I cannot play for one who I cannot honor and respect as a gentleman. My contract had one more season to run and I regret very much leaving the orchestra. But my conscience will not permit me to stay after that affair in Dayton."

Miss Valisi said she would leave Cleveland Saturday for New York City, where she probably will open a studio. She was released from her contract by Mrs. Adella Prentiss Hughes, manager of the orchestra.

### NEW SWITCH SPEEDS TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE OPERATION

Installation of a new automatic control system to replace the old control unit on the traffic signal device at Main and Detroit Sts., will cut eighteen seconds off the operating time and speed up traffic at the intersection according to Peter Shagin, traffic policeman.

A P. Wayne Automatic Switch was installed Tuesday by the city and the Greene County Auto Club, which provides for a complete change of signals every fifty seconds. The new control was obtained following complaints that the old operation was too slow.

Maximum speed of the control unit with which the signal standard was equipped, allowed for thirty-two seconds on the red and green lights and a four second amber period, or an over-all operation of sixty eight seconds.

With the new device only twenty-five seconds are allowed for red and green lights and the amber comes on with which ever color is showing for the last three seconds of the period. This enables drivers to make ready for the change or to start a right hand turn before the actual change takes place and cuts the over-all operating time to fifty seconds.

Motorists are being reminded also that they may make turns on the green light if traffic is light enough but that they must be cautious about turning into traffic or endangering pedestrians who are crossing in the red light as pedestrian traffic has the right of way.

### POLAR EXPEDITION LEAVES HENINGRAD FOR SPITZBERGEN

Amundsen Party To Leave King's Bay Next Week

Explorers and air pioneers today again were in the forefront of interest. The dirigible Norge of the Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile expedition to the North Pole, left Leningrad for Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, the next to the last stage of its flight.

Captain Loriga of the Spanish Madrid-Manila-Tokio airplane flight, missing several days, was rescued and brought to Macao, China, aboard a gunboat.

Captain R. E. Byrd, commanding an all-American airplane expedition to the North Pole, was at Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, making final arrangements for the "jump off" of his flight.

Captain George Wilkins of the Detroit Aero Club polar expedition hoped to get away from Fairbanks, Alaska today by airplane for Point Barrow, the starting point for his flight.

TOMSOR, Norway, May 5.—The Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile polar expedition's dirigible Norge which left Leningrad for Spitzbergen this morning was reported flying across Finland with light southeast winds this afternoon.

"At 1:10 p. m. the Norge was reported heading for Vadsoe in the extreme northeastern section of Norway," and add:

The Norge, however, is racing a storm due to low pressure in the region of Greenland. If it passes Vadsoe soon, however, it is expected it can reach Kings Bay ahead of the storm.

OSLO, Norway, May 5.—The Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile expedition's dirigible Norge will leave Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, early next week in its attempt to reach the North Pole, according to information here. These advices say the dirigible which left Leningrad today for Kings Bay, should reach Spitzbergen Friday.

### PITCHER ALSO IS CATCHER

CLEVELAND, O., May 5.—George Uhle, star hurler for the Cleveland Indians, is not always a pitcher.

Last night George was enroute home when he surprised a girl and a man holding up a filling station.

The alleged bandits became frightened and fled. Uhle captured the girl—Pretty Mary Stanley, 20, of Kansas City, Mo.—after an exciting chase.

Mary today denied knowledge of the holdup and said she did not know "John" her boy companion, was a bandit.

"I came to Cleveland looking for work and he offered me a ride," she sobbed, adding that she didn't know John's last name.

Twenty dollars were obtained in the alleged robbery.

### CRISIS LOOMS

BRUSSELS, May 5.—A cabinet seemed imminent today.

Colonial Minister Botton and Baron Rolin Jacquemeyne, minister of the interior, resigned, unbalancing the cabinet representation of the various parties.

### WONDER HOW THIS BECAME PUBLIC?

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## PRIVATE MEETING HELD BETWEEN PREMIER AND THOMAS TO SEEK PEACE

Laborite Overtures For Conference Indicate Union Resolve Cracking—Meanwhile Volunteers Help Restore Normalcy

LONDON, May 5.—With the general strike at the end of thirty-six hours, gradually showing signs of yielding to the pitiless opposition of the government, the United Press today was authoritatively informed J. H. Thomas and Premier Baldwin will meet today in private in a renewed effort to find a basis for industrial peace.

It was understood the meeting will be unostentatious and of the most private character in order not to attract attention or raise false hopes.

The laborite overtures for a conference between Thomas and Baldwin represent the first tangible sign of cracking of the striker's refusal to negotiate.

It was understood the trades union council sanctioned Thomas' action, but reserved the right to disown or reject any of his proposals or any result which might come from the proposed meeting.

If the conference takes place Thomas must be considered as a volunteer mediator whose influence in labor circles is tremendous but who cannot bind the strikers nor their leaders by his action.

As Thomas moved for peace, Britain slowly but surely, and at the cost of tremendous effort, was emerging triumphant from the clutch of the strike Octopus. At first the country had been powerless.

The government's all embracing system of alleviation and the hearty response to the call of volunteers, was reflected primarily in the hourly enlargement of train service and extension of food distribution.

The government communique at noon announced that there were no signs of panic; that an attempt had been made to interfere with the bus service in Nottingham, but that the situation was giving no anxiety. Volunteers were listed as follows: London, 12,450; Northeast England, 10,000; North Midland, 4,000; North Britain, 10,000.

Approximately 300,000 copies of the British Gazette, official government newspaper, had been distributed throughout England, and additional copies were being printed.

Twelve to fifteen provincial newspapers were being published, including two afternoon papers. The others are weekly.

In the North Midlands, thirty per cent of the Midland Railway clerks were working. A small section of the London subway was running, and six minute service was expected by tomorrow. The subways have received 3,000 volunteers as many as they can train.

At Hetherington near Manchester, there was an ineffective attempt to stop the buses.

Some recovery from the chaotic conditions of yesterday was reported today although the nation was apprehensive.

Crowds were thickening hourly around the gates of the East India docks and troops in Canningtown, nearby, were ready for whatever might come.

There have already been disorders in Canningtown, but no details of the happenings were known as the police closed the affected area to vehicles and pedestrians.

The disturbances were probably similar to those which flamed up in Poplar last night with the result that twenty strikers were in a hospital, their heads broken by swinging batons of police.

Wales and the Clydeside area of Scotland, presented the most serious threats to peace. Bus drivers were mobbed today at the Forth Gate Garage of the General Omnibus Company which serves London. An attempt to bring out a few busses had to be abandoned.

Half the staff of the Poplar Municipal Electric Co., struck today and the refusal of the Stepney Municipal Station to supply current in the daytime affects all of Stepney, including the London hospital or the largest in the city.

### SENATORS WATSON AND ROBINSON WIN EASILY IN INDIANA

By United Press  
INDIANAPOLIS, May 5.—Senator James E. Watson, seeking his party's nomination against the combined strength of such political powers as Postmaster General New, former Senator Albert J. Beveridge, and Everett Sanders, secretary to President Coolidge, was victorious at the polls by a majority that is expected to reach 150,000.

Returns from 1,656 of the state's 3,551 precincts gave Watson 114,594 votes against 45,145 for his opponent, Claris Adams.

Arthur R. Robinson, appointed by Governor Ed. Jackson to occupy the senate seat of the late Senator Ralston until an election could be held, defeated four other candidates for the short two-year term. His vote surpassed the total vote of his four opponents and his managers claimed the majority would reach 50,000.

Four of the six candidates for the Democratic long term nomination were so closely grouped together a majority for one candidate appeared impossible and the nomination will be decided in a party convention.

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PARIS, May 5.—Henri Berenger, French ambassador to the United States is expected in France the end of this month and will speak before the French senate in support of the agreement for repayment of his country's debt to the United States, it is learned today.

TO HEAR BERENGER



OHIO FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS HAS TREE PLANTING

In honor of fifteen past and present presidents of the organization, an identical number of trees were planted in the John Bryan farm at Yellow Springs by the Ohio Federation of Women's Clubs Wednesday.

Spot where the trees were planted has been designated as "Presidents' Grove." Arrangements for the planting were in charge of special committees.

Trees will be dedicated Friday, May 14. This is the last day of the convention of the Ohio Federation which will be held in Springfield.

A small bronze tablet, bearing the name of the president and the date of her service, will be placed in front of each tree. A post, bearing the words, "Presidents' Grove," will be erected in front of the grove.

In connection with the dedication ceremonies, it is also planned to have each tablet unveiled by a member of the state federation, who served under the president for whom the tree is dedicated. Principal address at the dedication exercises May 14 will be delivered by Dr. Josephine Pierce, Lima, Ohio. Carrying out the original idea, a tree will be plant-

ed in the grove every year and named for the president of the organization of that year.

EXERCISES FRIDAY WILL CLOSE SPRING VALLEY TP. SCHOOLS

Schools of Spring Valley Twp., will close with Mass Day exercises, Friday afternoon, May 7, in the auditorium of the new high school beginning at 1 o'clock, central standard time.

First part of the program will be rendered by the eighth grade pupils of the township schools, at the close of which Prof. D. H. Barnes, assistant county superintendent, will present diplomas to the following pupils:

Robert Beam, Ruth Benson, Carl Baxley, Evelyn Brandenburg, Harper Billmyre, Ruth Anna Curry, Herbert Goodman, Harvey Huff, Thomas Haydock, Pauline Kyne, Emma Hazlip, John Kyne, David Leshner, Hazel Matthews, Hollie Miller, Othel Moore, Raymond McKnight, Carson Norris, Minnie Peterson, Ruby Smith, Dorothy Sollers, Robert Smith, Donald Thompson, Vernon Taylor.

After the eighth grade exercises, the pupils of the grade schools, under the direction of Prof. W. C. Sayrs, county music director, will present a beautiful pageant. High school orchestra will furnish music

for the event. Senior class play will be given in the high school auditorium Thursday evening, May 13. High school commencement will be held Thursday evening, May 20, be held Thursday evening, May 20.

ACCIDENT VICTIM REPORTED BETTER

Arthur Sidenstricker, 36 Charles St., foreman of the service department of the city waterworks plant, who was painfully hurt when struck by an auto driven by J. L. Dunlap, Wilmington, while supervising unloading of pipes on Home Ave., Tuesday morning, is "improving nicely," according to a statement issued by Dr. A. D. DeHaven, the attending physician.

Sidenstricker submitted to an examination for broken bones or possible internal injuries Tuesday night and Dr. DeHaven declared painful body bruises are the extent of his injuries.

His condition is not serious although he may be confined to bed for a week or ten days it is said. Accident occurred when Sidenstricker stepped across the road to instruct his men in the pipe laying, walking directly in the path of the approaching machine. Neither the foreman or motorist was awake to the danger until too late to avoid the accident, witnesses said.

YELLOW SPRINGS MARRIED THURSDAY

The marriage of Raymond Bull, of Cedarville and Miss Lydia Shaw took place, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shaw, Thursday morning, Rev. C. H. White, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church officiated. Following the ceremony a luncheon was served to the relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Bull left Thursday afternoon for their honeymoon. They will reside on a farm near Cedarville.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church will serve the banquet dinner for the Yellow Springs Civic Club Friday evening. The dinner will be served in the basement of the church at 6:30. At this time the first annual election of officers will take place.

Mrs. Louis Gagner, who has been at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, for several weeks, where she under-

went an operation for goitre, was able to be brought home, Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Chapman and children, Jean and Bobbie, arrived Thursday from Galveston, Texas. Mrs. Chapman was called here on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. George Bickett, who is in McClellan Hospital, Xenia, suffering from an injured hip.

Mrs. Adeline Titus and her mother, Mrs. Showell moved from their home on Glen Street into Mrs. Annie Warner's house on N. College St., Friday. Mrs. Titus' house will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wheth erill.

Dr. and Mrs. D. Berman left Friday for Wheeling, W. Va., where Dr. Berman will have charge of the health department. During the absence of Dr. J. R. Earp, the past year, Dr. Berman has been in charge of the clinic at Antioch College.

The ladies of St. Paul's Catholic

Church will give a euchre in the basement of the church Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bickett and daughters, Helen and Ruth arrived Saturday from Watertown, Wis., to visit Mr. Bickett's mother, Mrs. George Bickett.

Mrs. Walter Johnson, of Terre Haute, Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. H. Jones.

Miss Eureka Meredith of Cincinnati, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meredith. Mr. and Mrs. William Bolander and little daughter, Martha Lee of Springfield spent Sunday with Mrs. Bolander's sister, Mrs. Willis Grove.

The members of W. N. Mantle's Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church were entertained at the home of Mrs. Dick Denison, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Clarence Diehl assisted Mrs. Denison in entertaining.

Little Sam Prugh entertained sev-

enteen of his little schoolmates Monday afternoon. The party was in honor of Sam's sixth birthday.

The Dayton Presbyterian Missionary meeting will be held in First Presbyterian Church in Mid-dletown, Thursday and Friday. Those from here who will attend are Miss Lulu Garrison, Mrs. Robert Jacoby and Mrs. A. C. Erbaugh. Mrs. F. W. Johnson will entertain with a bridge luncheon, Wednesday, in honor of Mrs. S. F. Weston.

Miss Kate Wren, of Springfield was here Sunday calling on friends. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Myers and

Miss Jeannette Tait of Springfield have come here for the summer and are occupying their property on High St.

Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Weston will leave Thursday for their summer home in the mountains of New York. During their absence their house will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. David Hanchett.

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BIJOU THEATER TO-NIGHT

Rudolph Valentino In "COBRA" Also FOX NEWS—Showing big air fleet in mimic war at Fairfield, O. THURSDAY Laura La Plante and Pat O'Malley in a 6 reel comedy drama. "THE TEASER" Also "THE SMASH UP"—A two-reel Andy Gump Comedy.

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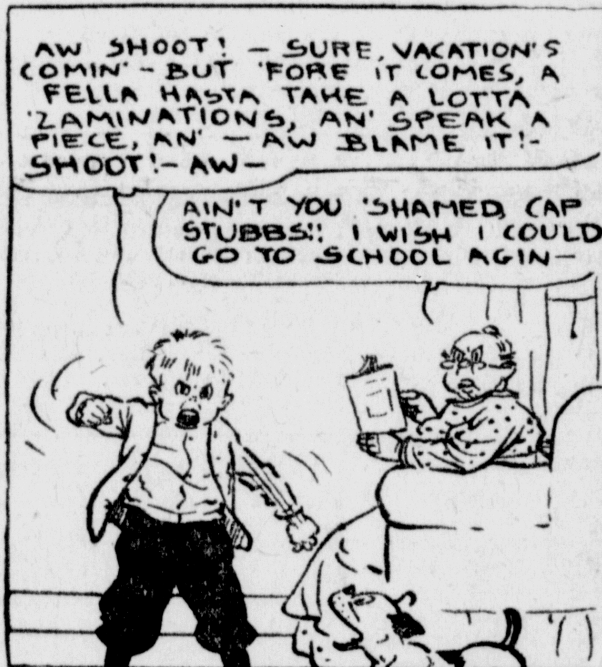
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Special Price - \$6.75

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## Society-Personal-Clubs

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### COUNTY RECEPTION AND BANQUET TUESDAY

With the pastel and bright shades of the girls frocks vying with the early flowers of the newly arrived Spring, the annual Greene County Junior-senior reception at First United Presbyterian Church, this city, Tuesday evening, was one of the loveliest affairs of that nature ever held here.

Two hundred people, members of both classes, county board members and their wives, attended the reception and banquet. The attendance was larger than the year previous and the entire affair thoroughly enjoyable. Honorary guests of the evening, seniors of the county schools with their hosts and hostesses, members of the junior classes, were received at 7 o'clock in the main church auditorium.

The banquet was served immediately following, in the dining room. County colors of green and white were employed, in decking the staircase, dining room and tables. Streamers of green and white crepe paper were festooned over the light center of the room to the walls. Lighted green tapers on the tables added to the festive effect and other appointments of the banquet carried out the color scheme. A two-course banquet was served by women of the church.

County Superintendent of Schools H. C. Aultman presided and introduced Mr. W. C. Sayrs, Alpha, who led the county orchestra in furnishing music for the occasion. Clever songs, with words applied locally, were sung during the dinner hour.

Mr. Aultman delivered his brief annual address to the students after the banquet and called on various representatives of senior classes to respond with toasts. Responses were made by Dallas Marshall, Cedarville; Katherine Noggle, Spring Valley; George Dick, Ross Twp.; Harold Huston, Yellow Springs; Brooks Reeder, Jamestown; Mildred Carr, Caesar Creek and Miriam Jones, Beaver Creek.

Main address of the evening was made by Mr. Thurman "Dusty" Miller, Wilmington. Mr. Miller is a favorite with local audiences and his address was replete with his usual brand of humor and "spice." While admonishing the students to take the right attitude in and out of school, he related a number of jokes that put his point across. His talk was enthusiastically received.

The evening's program was closed with several short songs, before the party adjourned.

### WOMEN'S COMMITTEE AT COUNTRY CLUB

Announcement of another committee, to assist in plans for the season at the Xenia Country Club, the coming season, was made Wednesday by Mrs. George I. Graham, general chairman of women's activities.

Mrs. H. C. Messenger, Mrs. D. W. Cherry, Mrs. J. H. Whitmer, Mrs. E. W. Woodward and Mrs. E. A. Kellie, are members of the Monday luncheon committee.

### ORIENT HILL P. T. A. OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

Mrs. Otis Pramer was elected president of Orient Hill Parent-Teacher Association, Monday afternoon, when members met at the school.

Mrs. Herman Eavey was elected vice-president; Mrs. LeRoy Smith, secretary and Mrs. Brant Bell, treasurer.

Plans were laid for a community supper at the school, May 20.

### GIRLS' CLUB MEETS AFTER SCHOOL HOURS

After the close of school, Tuesday, members of the Busy Bee Club, gathered at the home of Miss Mildred Horner, W. Second St.

A short business meeting was held, succeeded by games and a social time. Dainty refreshments were served by little Miss Horner.

### DINNER AND CARDS AT FISHER RESIDENCE

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fisher, Cincinnati Ave., was the scene of a charming informal affair Tuesday evening. Twenty-six guests were received. An elaborate dinner was served with attractive appointments. Six tables of five hundred were in play during the remainder of the evening.

Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Randolph Weber, Friday afternoon, May 7, at 2:30 o'clock. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. W. O. Jeffries, Mrs. Jacob Baldwin and Mrs. W. E. Cox. Large attendance is desired to plan for the year's work.

Hawkins Community Club will meet at the school Friday evening, May 7, for its regular monthly meeting. An interesting program has been prepared, later which refreshments will be served by the club. Members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome.

Mrs. H. A. Thompson and two children, Columbus, are visiting Mrs. Thompson's parents, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Kyle, W. Third St. The Rev. Mr. Thompson is in St. Louis, attending closing exercises at the Xenia Theological Seminary.

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### MRS. BRYANT'S GUEST INFORMALLY HONORED

Mrs. Clara Snow, Dearborn, Mich., house guest of Mrs. E. R. Bryant, was honor guest when Mrs. Bryant entertained informally at her home on E. Second St., Wednesday.

A few friends of Mrs. Bryant were invited to meet Mrs. Snow and play bridge. Luncheon was daintily served.

### MARRIAGE TAKES PLACE AT PARSONAGE

In the presence of only immediate relatives, Miss Dora Marie Potts, Bellbrook Pike, and Mr. Paul D. Patterson, Monroe, O., were married Wednesday morning. The quiet service took place at the First M. E. parsonage, the Rev. F. W. Stanton officiating, at 10:30 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson will reside at Monroe.

### QUIET CEREMONY AT TRINITY PARSONAGE

The Rev. V. F. Brown, Trinity M. E. Church pastor, performed the single ring ceremony, uniting Mrs. Carrie A. Long, this city, and Mr. Albert Boase, employee of the O. S. and S. O. Home, at the Trinity parsonage, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

The couple was unattended. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Boase will reside in this city.

First Auxiliary, Woman's Home Missionary Society, First M. E. Church will meet Thursday, May 6 at 2:30 p. m., at the home of Miss Clara Allen, E. Second St.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sparks have returned to Xenia from Summerville, Ala., and other southern points where they spent several months during the winter. They are residing on S. Detroit St., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riddell, who are still in the South.

The Rev. W. H. Tilford, N. Detroit St., is attending commencement exercises at Lane Seminary, Cincinnati, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Conklin Diboll has returned to her home in Wilmington, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark, W. Main St.

Old Town Community Club meeting will be marked with a special program at the school, next Friday evening. Refreshments will be served. Members and their friends are invited.

Prof. N. M. Chatterjee, Antioch College, addressed the Woman's Literary Club of Urbana, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Chatterjee was also a guest of the club.

May meeting of Xenia W. C. T. U. has been postponed until further announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Barker, Hamilton, O., are announcing the birth of a son, Monday. Mrs. Barker was before marriage Miss Miriam Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Galloway, this city. Mrs. Galloway is at the Barker home.

Robert Friedman, son of Mr. Isadore Friedman, E. Main St., received painful bruises and scratches about the face when he was knocked down by an automobile, near St. Bridget's Church, Tuesday evening. He was not seriously injured.

The all-day sewing which was to have been held by the Woman's Relief Corps at the home of Mrs. Jennie Short, Thursday, has been postponed on account of illness.

Special series of studies of "Christian Stewardship" will be concluded at the First M. E. Church prayer service, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Plans have been made to hold special observance of "Mother's Day" at that church, with carnations given to each mother who attends.

### Large Pores Are Unnecessary

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### FORMER XENIA GIRL ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Esther Orr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orr, Kansas City, formerly of Xenia to Mr. Edward C. Swigart, Stockwell, Mo., is being received with no little interest by her local friends.

Miss Orr has been spending the winter at her home in Kansas City and the announcement was made there. Her father was formerly postmaster of Xenia and is now manager of the Kansas City mills of the Hoover and Allison Co.

Miss Orr was for a time detained in a Kansas City hospital and later in welfare work in Cleveland. She resigned the latter position last summer to return to her home. Her marriage to Mr. Swigart will take place in the fall.

### CHURCH PARTY IS AN ASSURED SUCCESS

Reservations for forty-three tables had been made Wednesday morning with Mrs. Charles Adair and members of her committee, in charge of the card party sponsored by Christ Episcopal Church, at the Elks' Club, Thursday.

Cards will be the main attraction for patrons of the affair. Mrs. Adair announced that no single reservations are being made, in order to insure even tables for the afternoon. Reservations are to be obtained by Thursday morning with Mrs. Adair.

May meeting of the Berean Bible Class, First Reformed Church, will be held Thursday evening, at the home of Mrs. Edwin Buck, N. West St.

Mrs. LeRoy Smith, Hill St., has returned to her home to recuperate from a tonsilectomy operation, performed last week while she was visiting in Spring Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stout and son, Jimmy, Hill St., spent Monday and Tuesday at St. Mary's on a fishing excursion.

Meeting of Pride of Xenia thimble club has been postponed until a date to be announced later, owing to the district rally in Columbus.

Miss Lulu Hight, matron of Cottage 10, O. S. and S. O. Home, fractured both arms and received severe bruises when she fell down a flight of stairs at the institution cottage, Monday. The accident happened when Miss Hight lost her footing at the head of the dark stairway. Her injuries are not serious.

Mrs. S. C. Wright, S. Detroit St., entertained twenty-six members of the Mizpah Bible Class, of the Cedarville Reformed Presbyterian Church, for luncheon, Tuesday. Three invited guests also enjoyed the gathering. A short business meeting was held after luncheon and a social time spent during the remainder of the meeting.

### TAXI CRASHES INTO DITCH ALONG PIKE

Losing control of the automobile when the steering wheel locked, a touring car driven by J. W. Hargrove, taxi driver, and occupied by a passenger whose name was not learned, careened over a three-foot embankment into a ditch and overturned, on the Wilmington Pike southeast of Xenia, early Wednesday morning. Neither the driver or passenger was injured. Machine was damaged to the extent of a broken wheel.

Hargrove is in the employ of Curtis C. Hale, E. Market St., taxicab owner.



Signalling and drill work were the main subjects under consideration at the weekly meeting of Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, at the American Legion rooms Tuesday night.

The Troop 2 baseball team defeated Troop 1, 12 to 11 in a slugfest Tuesday afternoon. Campbell, Troop 1 pitcher, has a shade over Zell, South caught for the winners and Adair for the losers.

Robert Maxwell, Roger St., became a member of Troop 1 Tuesday it is announced.



## DAMAGE SUIT ENTERS SECOND DAY IN COURT; \$10,000 ASKED

Jury trial of the \$10,852 damage suit of Mrs. Frances C. Laist, wife of Professor T. F. Laist, head of the lumber research department at Antioch College, against Dr. A. B. Kester, Xenia dentist, for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained in an auto accident December 15, 1925, was nearing a close in Common Pleas Court Wednesday afternoon.

Trial opened Tuesday before a jury of six men and six women and Judge R. L. Gowdy. The jury: J. W. Ray, Jesse H. Fawcett, Cora Bootes, George C. Stokes, Frank Graham, Sallie Conklin, J. S. Ayres, Emma Cosler, Thelma Barth, Fannie Moore, James E. Lewis and Nora Houston.

### MAYOR'S COURT

#### TWO FINED

Clarence Baumbach, arrested Tuesday night by Pennsylvania Railroad Detective Cundiff was fined \$20 and costs by Mayor John Prugh Wednesday for intoxication. He pleaded guilty.

William Kolie, Cincinnati, was fined the costs, \$2.40 and ordered from the city Wednesday by Mayor Prugh when he pleaded guilty to intoxication. He was arrested Tuesday by Patrolman Ed Craig.

#### GIVEN HEARING

Hoke Ponder, colored, E. Market St., charged with larceny in an affidavit filed by his wife, was held by police Wednesday morning awaiting a hearing before Probate Judge S. C. Wright in the afternoon. He was arrested by Patrolman Fred Jones and Charles Thompson Tuesday.

Mrs. Laist bases her action on alleged permanent injuries to her right leg, knee and shoulder, sustained in the accident. She claims her right knee was wrenched, muscles and ligaments were torn, bones bruised and a condition of neuritis resulting caused her to be confined to her home for four weeks.

Plaintiff was driving west on Church St., at a moderate rate of speed and defendant, driving north on King St., at a rate of thirty-

five or forty miles an hour, smashed into her car at the intersection, overturning it, petition asserts.

Dr. Kester is charged with driving too fast, without due regard for safety of others, non-observance of the traffic rules and failure to abide by the stop sign painted on the street and the stop sign erected near the intersection.

Mrs. Laist seeks recovery of \$150 for medical attention, \$450 for repairs to her auto, \$252 because she was deprived of the use of the car for six weeks and an additional \$10,900.

Attorney Marcus Shoup represents the plaintiff and Attorneys Warren Ferguson, McMahon, Corwin, Landis and Markham are defendant's counsel.

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## THE TRAVEL BUG

BACK in 1900 folks thought that other folks were doing a lot of gadding, especially when it was announced that during that year the total bill for the traveling public amounted to a billion dollars. That was the day when railroad travel was about the only means of any long distance jaunts, and when the railroad was used almost exclusively for commuting.

But what has happened in those 25 years speaks in loud volumes of the development of the automobile and the motor bus as means for further travel. This year it is estimated that the cost of gadding about in the family motor car, the community bus or the limited or local train, will reach the tremendous total of \$20,000,000,000. Five years ago it was \$12,000,000,000. Of the tremendous figure, more than half is spent for motor car and motor bus. The railroads, once the sole means for any considerable distance travel, now collect less than half of the total bill.

And the amount which is paid each year returns itself many fold in better relationships between communities, in the development of the improved highways, in the health and happiness that comes with strong bodies and alert minds than can come only from being long in the great outdoors.

The time has passed when the oldest resident of the community can boast of never having been farther away than the county seat. Men and women, regardless of wealth or social position, travel here and there over the country, and in that traveling they learn a better way than could be taught them in all the textbooks printed, the wonders and the magnitude of the country which is theirs.

The travel bug has America, and it has it strong.

## CHECKS BY RADIO

THE sending of a check across the Atlantic by radio marks another interesting development of the radio industry and the part which it is playing in the world of commerce and industry.

The report of the occurrence says that the radio check was received with as much calmness as if it had been passed over the counter, and was only delayed in payment for a few moments, pending the receipt of the necessary endorsements.

It may be that the time will come when much of the business of banking will be done by the radio. The system is necessarily imperfect at present, because the radio itself is imperfect.

But the telegraph was equally imperfect in the beginning. Yet today it is in universal use for all classes of business.

There is real news interest in the sending of checks by radio right now. But in a short time the habit will no doubt be so common that it will be indulged in without any other thought than that which is today given to the most ordinary use of the telegraph service in business transactions.

The field of the radio is a broad one, the real possibilities of which have scarcely been touched.

## THE GREAT PRESS AGENT

SINCE the whole world is heir to "the grandeur that was Rome" the Mussolini proposal to restore Rome to its ancient splendor is one which will attract more sympathy abroad than most of his other ambitious projects.

The modern Italian has little more of the old Roman blood in his veins than the Frenchman or Jugo-Slav, but most of the architectural remains of the great empire of the Caesars are in Italy and it is to Mussolini's credit that he dreams of restoring and protecting them.

Since in matters of this sort the theatrical is to be expected the world will look on indulgently while the fascisti strive to make it appear that in them the old Roman spirit finds its modern flowering, that what the Caesars did Mussolini can do.

Mussolini's visit to Tripoli illustrated the efficiency of his press agents, and the rigors of the Italian censorship are obvious to all the world, so it is to be expected that the work of restoration will be duly advertised. The emphasis must not be too forced, however. It is because the thing has been overdone that nobody now takes at their face value the reports of "popular joy" and "public acclaim" emanating from the Mediterranean "boot" where every opponent of the reigning powers must hold his peace or suffer for his recklessness, and from which an American journalist was ejected because he dared communicate facts and not fascist propaganda to his newspaper in the United States.

## Just Folks

BY EDGAR A. GUEST

## FAITH

Be wiser than the wise who know too much  
And scorn the very things they seem to praise;  
Keep to the simple and well-marked ways,  
Stretch not your hands some gilded joy to clutch,  
Dropping your dreams of happiness and such  
Fair fancies of your earlier, rosier days.  
When scoffers were not, but with eyes ablaze  
You looked on splendors which you dared not touch.

Let reason guide you, but let faith remain;  
That which the cynics scorn may still be true,  
What lies beyond the grave the

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With all its brilliance knows no more than you.  
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## 1906—Twenty Years Ago—1926

Plans for paving Green St. were outlined at City Council meeting. When this short and narrow street is paved, the Court House will then have paving on all four sides.

Cedarville College boys who failed to share in the seniors' victorious flag rush recently took it upon themselves to burn the seniors in effigy and

bury them. In the struggle Wilbur Shaw received a dislocated shoulder.

Mr. Ernest Ashbaugh has accepted a position at the Adams Express office at the depot as assistant night clerk.

The champion mushroom hunters of the season came in. Harry North and Edward Wood obtained 733 fine specimens on Caesar Creek.

circles, put a dab of marmalade on this square, a dab of jam on that, (any filling decoration you desire—copy the French pastries sold in bakery stores), and, before the paste has had time to become warmer, quickly slip the little pastries into the hot oven, on a cookie sheet or pie pan. Bake at the same temperature for from twenty to twenty-five minutes, possibly a little less. Lard is never used in making French pastries. In warm weather it is best to cut out the pastries, put in filling, place on a pan and set the pan in the refrigerator to chill again, before slipping it into the oven.

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Greene County History

## ELEVATION OF COUNTY

Lowest land in Greene County is found on its southern boundary, in the valley of the Little Miami River. It ranges between 275 and 300 feet above low water at Cincinnati, or between 700 and 725 feet above sea level.

Highest land is found in Cedarville and Miami Twp., along the watersheds between the Little Miami and Massies Creek and the Little Miami and Mad River.

This high region may be safely estimated to be not less than 650 feet above Cincinnati or 1,100 feet above the sea. There is little difference between the elevation of these dividing ridges.

Summits of each consist of stratified beds of sand and gravel belonging to the last stage of the drift period. The highest elevation held by the bedded rock is probably in Miami Twp., to the north and northwest of Yellow Springs.

Following elevations of a few of the principal points in the county, most of which were determined by Franklin C. Hill many years ago, are all counted above low water at Cincinnati, which is 432 feet above the sea.

Elevation at the grade at the railroad depot in Xenia, 491 feet; Yellow Springs, grade of railroad at depot, 541 feet; Osborn railroad depot, grade, 419 feet; Spring Valley railroad depot grade, 333 feet; Roxanna railroad grade at depot, 321 feet; Harbines Station, railroad grade at depot, 370 feet; Oldtown railroad grade at depot, 396 feet; Goes Station railroad grade at depot, 427 feet; Berryhill's Hill, Spring Valley Twp., 560 feet; Shoup's quarry, two miles southwest of Harbines, 519 feet; gravel bank, Yellow Springs, about 625 feet; railroad grade one mile north of Yellow Springs, about 600 feet; Cedarville railroad grade, about 550 feet.

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## Today's Talk

THE MOVIES

Next to the newspaper, to my mind, stand the movies in power and influence as a means of education, entertainment and usefulness.

The other evening I saw that magnificent spectacle, "Ben Hur." To my mind the greatest picture I have ever seen. As an achievement in the picturing of a great story it is sure to stand unique among all productions since the advent of moving pictures.

But it is as something to stir the heart, arouse the emotions and to inspire belief that it will be remembered.

Great credit is due the man who staged this super-production. His name is Fred Niblo. They tell me that he sees things in Empires, Tribes, Epochs, and Continents. He plays with Cosmic dimensions as a boy would with his blocks.

One notable touch to this great picture is the color scenes.

I went away from the seeing of this picture with a sense of richness in my veins. Admiration for the man who conceived the ideas and wrought them into something stupendous, and a sense of pride as well that men lived who wanted to spend their money for the entertainment and profit of millions through the medium of a picture that would educate, inspire and beautify everyone who might see it.

It was as a boy that I read Lew Wallace's "Ben Hur," but it all came back to me afresh after seeing this marvelous picture, and now its full significance is stamped upon my brain forever.

Such pictures as "Ben Hur" are worth all they cost. Every school boy and girl should see them, as well as every man and woman.

I would like to see a few medals of appreciation passed around to such producing geniuses as Fred Niblo. They are benefactors, like railroad builders, discoverers, inventors, and city beautifiers.

## DOLLAR DAY AT ENGILMAN'S

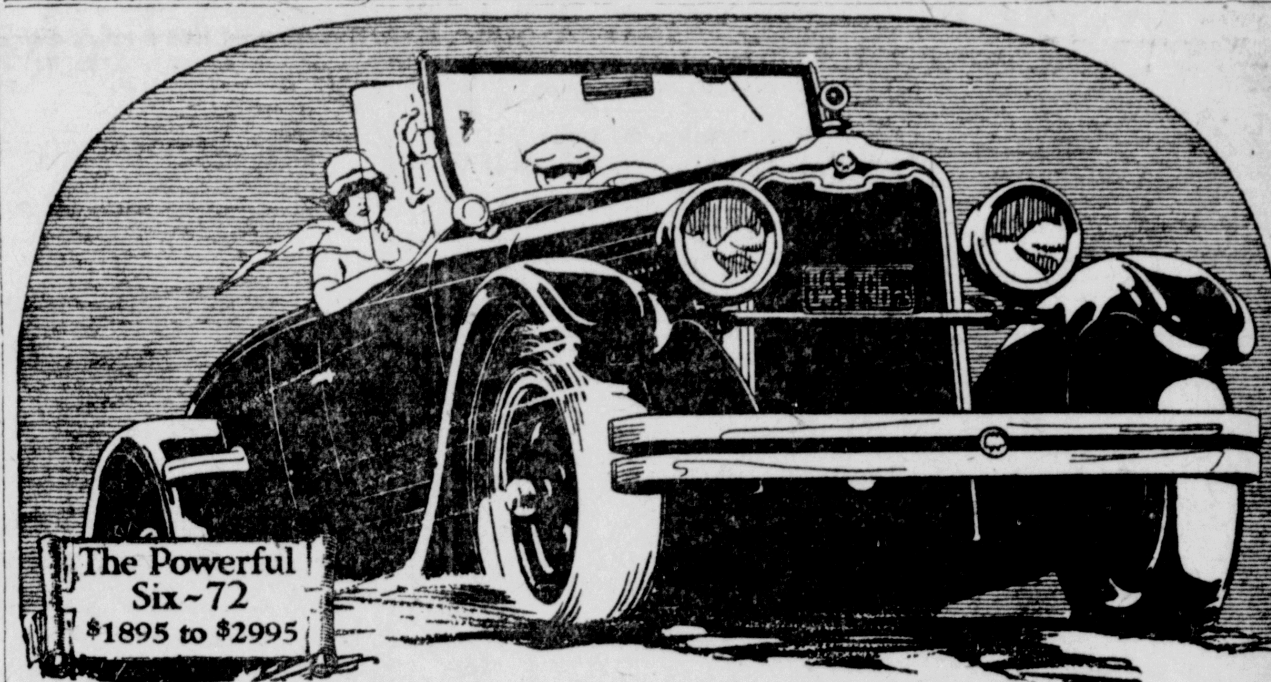
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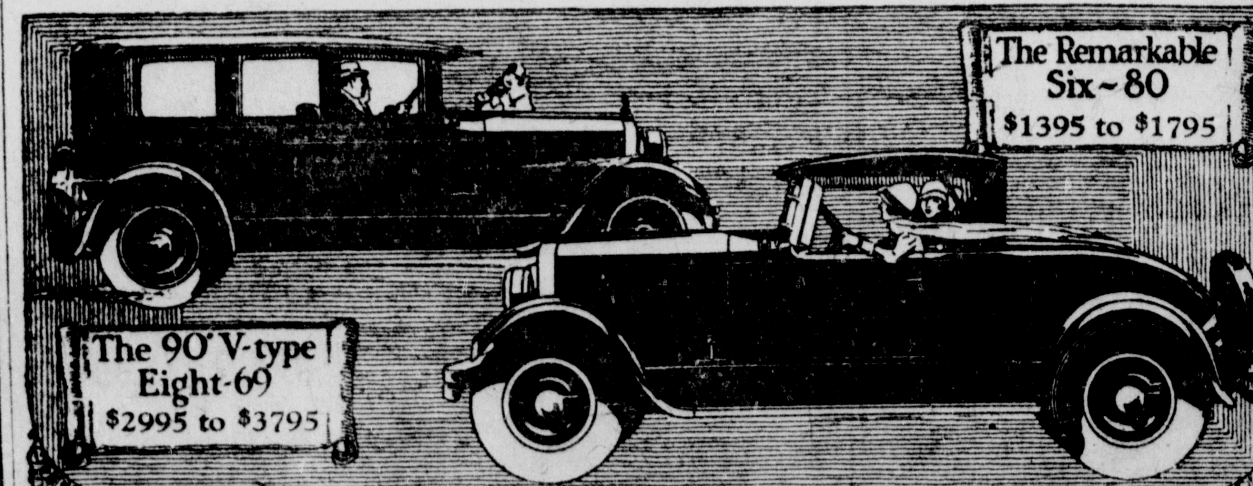
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## EAGLES SPONSOR PROGRAMS IN CELEBRAION OF MOTHER'S DAY

In line with the national policy of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in paying tribute to mothers, Xenia Aerie will hold two programs Sunday in celebration of Mother's Day.

The first program will be at the County Infirmary in the morning. Eagles will meet at the hall at 9 o'clock and automobiles will be ready at 10 o'clock to conduct the O. S. and S. O. Home Cadet Band to the infirmary for a concert at 10:45 o'clock.

Eagles will distribute flowers and candy to mothers at the institution and will plant two white birch trees on the grounds in commemoration of mothers. An address will be given at special services in the infirmary chapel Sunday morning, the speaker yet to be selected.

The afternoon program will start with the initiation of a Mother's Day class of fifteen candidates at the hall at 1 o'clock. These exercises will be followed by a program at the O. S. and S. O. Home at 3 o'clock which will include a concert by the Cadet Band, a dress parade by the Home Battalion followed by another concert.

Four silver birch trees will be planted on the Home grounds in honor of mothers and Attorney Justin Altschul, of Springfield Aerie, No. 357 will deliver an address. Both programs are on daylight save.

ing time and the public is cordially invited.

Eagles are especially attentive to Mother's Day as that order sponsored the first mothers' pension law ever passed in this country and the order was public acclamations as the inspirer of Mothers' Day at the Grave of the Unknown Soldier last year.

The order is urging recognition of the day among all people, which includes writing to mother, sending her gifts, planting white birches in her honor and displaying the American flag.

## BOWLING

Unseating of leaders in Class B and Class C and the wonderful bowling of William Horner in Class A were the features of Tuesday night's games in the city individual bowling tournament.

Horner cleared another hurdle in his race to the Class A championship when he defeated Arch Jeffries two games in three. He rolled a 258 score his first game and finished with a 647 total. Jeffries bowled two 200 games. Horner has but one more league game, a match with William Smith.

Fred Horner, tied with Bales for the Class B leadership, broke the knot when he defeated Bales the odd game in three.

Swindler snatched the Class C leadership by winning two from Carl Highley. Anderson won all three games from Barnett in a second Class C match.

**Class A Results**  
Jeffries 203 212 159  
W. Horner 258 199 190

**Class B Results**  
Bales 190 150 157  
F. Horner 179 202 187

**Class C Results**  
Highley 148 160 161  
Swindler 178 166 160  
Anderson 156 202 158  
Barnett 149 129 154

## KIWANIANS LEARN ABOUT ASTRONOMY

Relation of the world to the other planets, the size and importance of the different planets and air bodies, was interestingly described by Stewart L. Tatum, president of the Springfield Kiwanis Club, at the meeting of Xenia Kiwanians, Tuesday evening.

Mr. Tatum's address was replete with scientific data and brought out many details not generally known. The talk followed the regular dinner at the Goody Shoppe.

Charles Reed, secretary of the Springfield Club, made a brief talk. Several club songs, words for which were written by Dr. A. M. Patterson, were introduced at the meeting.

## TRAFFIC CLUB AT SPRINGFIELD SOON

More than 200 members are expected to attend the next monthly dinner-meeting of the Miami Valley Traffic Club in the Shawnee Hotel at Springfield, O., on the evening of May 17. It will be the first meeting of the organization ever held in that city.

"What America Means to Me," will be the subject of a talk by Dr. Arthur Walwyn Evans, Springfield, world traveler and lecturer, who will make the principal address before the gathering.

A. H. Finlay, Xenia, president of the club, will preside.

## ELECTION BOARD TO ORGANIZE FRIDAY

Members of the board of election will hold their annual reorganization meeting at the Court House Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock to elect a chief deputy and clerk for the ensuing year.

John Alexander, Yellow Springs, Democrat, present chief, retires as a member of the board this year. Vacancy has been filled by appointment of Ralph Kendig, Valley Road, Beavercreek Twp., Democrat.

Earl Short, Republican, is present clerk of the board.

Should a Democratic chief be elected as has been the case for a number of years, a Republican clerk will be named.

As both Republicans and Democrats are equally represented on the board, friction at the election is expected.

## On The Air From Cincinnati

Station WSAI:

6:45 p. m., chime concert.  
7:00—New York music.  
7:30 to 8:00—saxophone octet, from New York.  
10:00—address.  
10:15—string quartet.  
Station WLW:

7:00—Hotel Gibson orchestra.  
7:30—talks and scores.  
7:40—concert.  
8:00—negro spirituals.  
8:20—concert.  
9:45—selected poems, trio and male quartet.  
11:00—dance orchestra and entertainers.  
Station WKRC:

6:00—Hotel Alms orchestra.  
8:00—book review.  
8:15—piano solos.  
8:30—tenor solos.  
9:00—string trio.  
12:00—popular program.

## The Theatre

Directors are finding it harder every day to find actors and actresses who will easily be cast into a low-brow play. That is, the ones who can fit into the part and "put their lines across" without stilt or stutter.

Actresses who have never been in college have cultivated such a Bryn Mawr accent that it becomes impossible for them to sound as if they had ever chewed gum behind a bargain counter.

While rehearsing "Love 'Em and Leave 'Em," by George Abbott and John V. A. Weaver, Abbott tore his hair. He called the entire company to the footlights and said flatly: "You sound like a lot of swells. Why don't you get out among the people who talk like this and listen to them?"

The company scurried off in various directions. Florence Johns went to a department store and worked behind the stocking counter. Donald Macdonald, the male lead, took a room in a boarding house where he got first-hand information on the latest slang.

Catherine Costock, young Baptist Sunday School teacher of Long Beach, Calif., won the first prize of \$1,000 for her suggestion of Noah and his Ark as the basis for "Deluge." Cecil B. DeMille's next production. DeMille is planning to spend a million dollars on its film.

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## Daily Market News

### LIVE STOCK

#### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Hogs—Receipts, 13,000; market, mostly 10¢ higher; packing sows, 25¢@40¢ higher; top, \$13.85; bulk, \$12.50@13.40; heavyweight, medium choice, \$12.55@13.25; medium weight, medium choice, \$12.85@13.50; light weight, common choice, \$12.55@13.75; light hogs, common choice, \$12.75@13.85; packing sows, 25¢@40¢ higher, \$11.50@13.25@13.90.

### SPRING VALLEY

Little Martha Kennon is very seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hartsock and daughter, and Mrs. Flora Mason visited Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Hartsock in Springfield.

Mrs. W. E. Bogan is ill at the home of her son Evan Bogan, in the Middletown neighborhood. The Junior and Senior Classes of the High School attended the County Junior-Senior Banquet at Xenia, Tuesday evening, May 4. Representatives from the local monthly meeting of the Friends Church have been appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting at Waynesville next Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Young were visiting relatives last week in Hamersville, Cincinnati and Hamilton.

The funeral of Charles Craig, who died near Yellow Springs, was held at the Friends Church here, conducted by Rev. T. M. Scarff, assisted by Rev. H. O. Collins.

Mass Day exercises of the township grade schools will be held next Friday afternoon; also the eighth grade commencement. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Irons, of Clyde, O., were Sunday guests of relatives here.

Dr. and Mrs. Bowers are enjoying a visit from Dr. Bowers' mother.

12; slaughter pigs, medium choice, 13.25@13.90.

Slaughter Cattle and Calves—Steers, good choice, \$9.25@10.30; choice, \$9.50@10.40; good, \$9.15@9.75; medium, \$8.25@9.25; Steers, choice, \$9.75@10.40; good, \$9.25@9.75; medium, 8.25@9.25; common, \$6.75@8.25.

Light Yearlings Steers and Heifers—Good and choice, \$8.75@10. Heifers—Good and choice, \$7.25@8.75; common and medium, \$5.75@8.35.

Cows—Good and choice, \$6.50@7.85; common and medium, \$5.65@6.60; canners and cutters, \$4.50@5.65; medium to choice, \$6.25@8. Vealers—Cull to choice, \$5@12.25. Feeders and Stocker Cattle—Steers, \$6.25@9.

Lambs—Light and handy weight medium choice, \$14@15; cull and common, \$12@14.

Ewes—Common to choice, \$6.50@10.25; canners and cutters, \$2.50@6.50. Feeding lambs, \$12.50@14.75.

### CINCINNATI CATTLE MARKET

Cattle—receipts, 500; market steady. Steers, good to choice, \$9@9.50.

Calves—market, 500 lower; good to choice, \$11@11.50.

Hogs—receipts, 3,600; market active; good to choice packers and butchers, \$13.75.

Sheep—receipts, 200; market steady; good to choice, \$8@9.

Lambs—market, steady; good to choice, \$15@16; springers, \$14@20.

### PITTSBURGH

Cattle—receipts, light, market, \$9.50@9.75; choice, \$9.25@9.50; good, \$7.25@8.25; fair, \$12.50@13.

Sheep and Lambs—receipts, light; market, strong and steady; prime wethers, \$9.50@9.75; good, \$8.75@9.25; fair mixed, \$6.50@7.00; yearling lambs, \$9.00@10.00.

Hogs—receipts, light; market, higher; prime heavy, \$13.00@13.50; medium, \$14.00@14.25; heavy Yorkers, \$14.25@14.50; light Yorkers, \$14.35@14.50; pigs, \$14.35@14.50; roughs, \$10.50@11.75; stags, \$6.00@7.00.

### DAYTON

Receipts, 6 cars; market 15¢@25¢ higher. Heavies, 200 lbs., 13.15. Extreme heavies, 12.75. Medium, 130-200, 13.50. Sows, 8.00@10.50. Pigs, 140 lbs. down, 10.00@13.00.

Stags, 5.00@7.00.

### CATTLE

Receipts, light; market steady. Best fat steers, \$5.50@9.00. Veal calves, 7.00@10.50. Medium butcher steers, 7.00@8.00. Medium butcher

heifers, 6.00@7.00. Best butcher heifers, 7.00@8.50. Best fat cows, 5.00@6.50. Medium cows, 4.00@5.00. Bologna cows, 3.00@4.00. Bulls, 5.00@6.50.

### SHEEP

Spring Lambs, \$10.00@12.00. Sheep, 2.00@5.00.

### XENIA

(J. W. Faulkner)  
(Corrected Daily)

Hogs—Heavies, \$12.25; heavy mixed, \$12.50; medium, \$13.00. Pigs, \$13.00; sows, \$6@9.50; stags, \$4.00@6.00.

Cattle—Butcher steers, \$7@8; butcher heifers, \$5@6.50; stock heifers, \$5.00; cows, \$4@5; bologna cows, \$2@3; bulls, \$4@5.

### GRAIN

#### DAYTON

Flour and Grain  
(By The Durest Milling Co.)  
(Prices being paid for grain at mill.)  
Wheat No. 1, New, \$1.60.  
Rye, No. 2, 75¢ per bu.  
Corn, 80¢ per 100 lbs.  
Oats, per bu., 38¢.

#### XENIA

(By The DeWine Milling Co.)  
(Buying Price)  
No. 2, Rye, 70¢.  
Flakey wheat bran, \$2.00 cwt.

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New Yellow Corn, 80¢ per 100.  
No. 2, Red Wheat, \$1.60.  
Middlings, \$2.00 cwt.  
No. 2, New White Oats, 35¢.

### PRODUCE

#### CLEVELAND PRODUCE

POULTRY:  
Heavy fowls, 31¢@33¢.  
Leghorns fowls, 31¢@33¢.  
Leghorn broilers, 40¢@45¢.  
Leghorn broilers, 40¢@43¢.  
Heavy broilers, 47¢@50¢.  
Cocks, 16¢@18¢.

BUTTER:  
Extra in tub lots, 42¢@43¢.  
Extra, 39¢@40¢.  
Firsts, 38¢@39¢.  
Packing stock, 28¢.

EGGS:  
Extra firsts, 32¢.  
Northern Ohio Extra firsts, 31¢.  
Ohio extra firsts, 31¢.  
Ohio, 29¢@29 1/2¢.  
Western firsts, 29¢.

CHEESE:  
Old York state, (old) 30¢@32¢.  
Old York State, (new) 24¢@25¢.  
Limburger, Wisconsin, 34¢@35¢.  
New York, 35¢.

Swiss, fancy new, 40¢@42¢.  
Brick, 25¢@26¢.

POTATOES:  
Ohio, \$3.15@3.25.  
Idaho Bakers, \$6 per 120 lbs.  
Wisconsin, \$7.25@7.50 per 150 lb.  
Florida, No. 1, \$11.75.  
Texas Triumphs, \$7 per 100 lb. sack.

#### DAYTON PRODUCE

Retail Prices  
(Correct by The Joe Frank Co.)

Butter, 48¢ lb.  
Eggs, 30¢ dozen.  
Roasting chickens, 45¢ lb.  
Stewing chickens, 45¢ lb.  
1925 Fries, 55¢ lb.  
1926 Fries, 50¢.  
Boiling Chickens, 30¢ lb.  
Spring Ducks, 50¢ lb.  
Live Hens, 32¢ lb.  
Live Roosters, 20¢ lb.

Live Geese, 28¢ lb.  
1925 Broilers, alive, 50¢ lb.  
Prices Being Paid at Plant for Eggs and Poultry  
Eggs, 30¢ dozen.  
Live Poultry and Eggs  
Leghorn hens, 24¢ lb.  
Eggs, 26¢ dozen.  
1926 Leghorn broilers, 40¢ lb.  
Chickens, 5 lbs. up 26¢ lb.  
Heavy hens, 24¢ lb.  
Spring broilers, (1925), 40¢ lb.

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Milk Producers' Association  
Butter, 42¢ lb. wholesale.  
XENIA  
Hens, 25¢ lb.  
Young Roosters, 22¢ lb.  
Eggs, 25¢ dozen.  
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(By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers' Association)

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# FOLLOWING THE NEWS WITH THE CAMERA

## 24 Ounces!



This is what the fashionable American girl will wear during the Summer if she adopts the Parisian fad of light weight costumes for street wear. The outfit worn by this miss weighs exactly 24 ounces, or a pound and a half.

## Arouses Klan



The marriage of Miss Hazel Williams, mulatto, of Peekskill, N. Y., to Sidney Barrett, automobile man, brought forth so many ominous threats from persons claiming to be members of the Ku Klux Klan that the couple vanished from the city for their honeymoon.

## Lavish Trimming Marks This Coat



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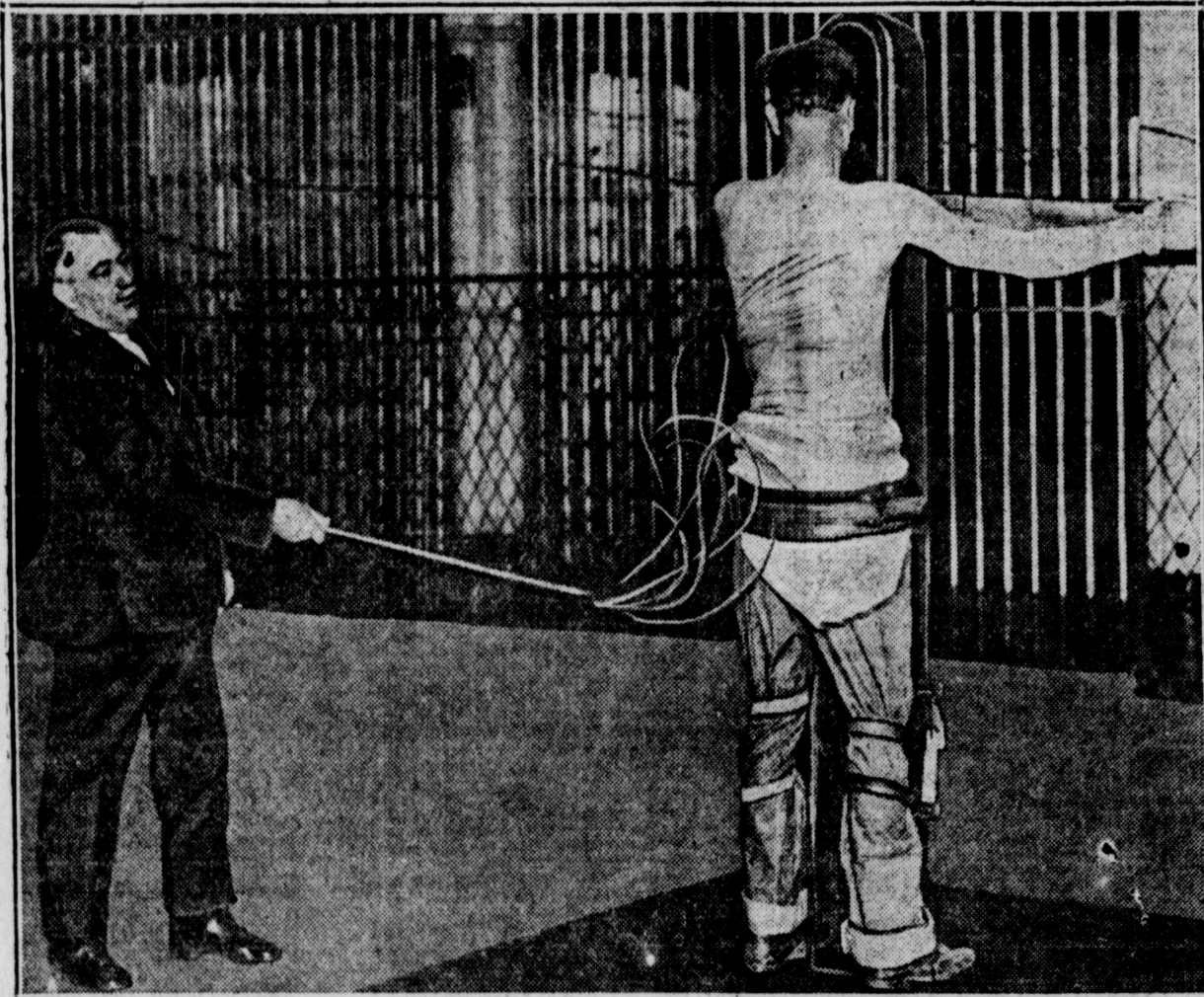
MRS. HENRIETTA HARGROVE  
Believing she had fled "the monotony of Main Street" in Elmira, N. Y., the husband of Mrs. Henrietta Hargrove has asked police of Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Buffalo, and Cleveland to seek her.

## They Figure in the News



Judge A. J. Talley, of New York, testifying at the Senate prohibition hearing, declared the dry law had failed. Henry W. Taft, brother of the Chief Justice, predicted the Volstead Act will remain in force. Cardinal Cerretti, of Paris, was assigned to Italy to oppose Fascism. Hudson Maxim, the inventor, a witness at the Senate "wet and dry" clash, called prohibition "the greatest blight ever visited on humanity."

## Wife-Beater Calm Under Lash's Sting

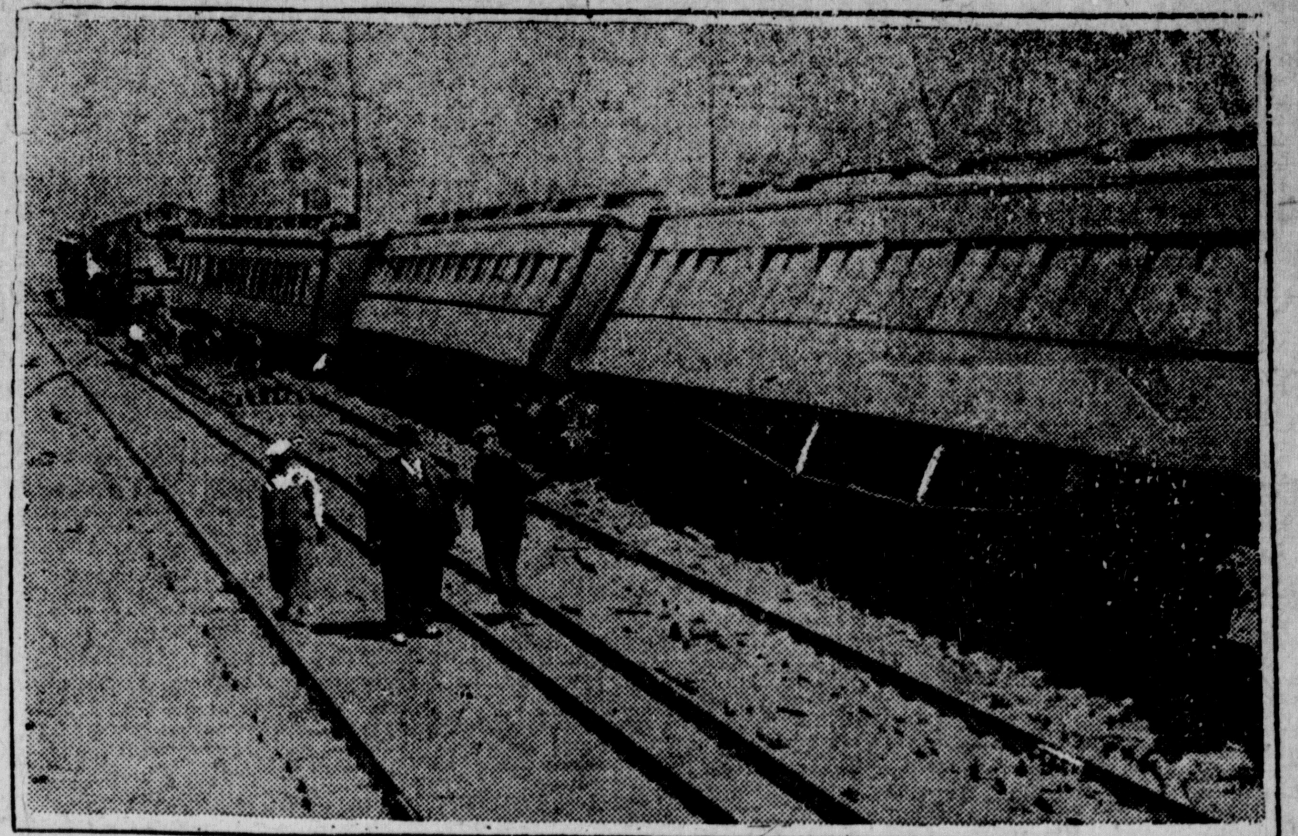


This photo shows James H. Kingsmore, convicted of beating his wife, being given five lashes with the cat-o-nine-tails in the Baltimore City Jail. Sheriff John E. Potee is wielding the whip. Kingsmore took his punishment without a whimper.

## London's Social Elite No Longer Spurn Work; Take to It



Time was when London society folk who turned to work were ostracized from polite circles. Now the most exclusive rich and noble women are entering the business world. Top row, left to right, Princess Irene Youssouf, wife of a Russian nobleman, has opened a fashionable gown shop; the Hon. Lettice Harbord, daughter of Lord and Lady Suffield runs a modern truck farm and Lady Poynter, wife of Sir Ambrose Poynter, famous architect, is a house decorator. Bottom row, left to right, Mrs. Richard G. Howard-Vyse, wife of Lieut. Col. Howard-Vyse, conducts a large grocery business; Miss Betty Joel, daughter of Sir James Stewart Lockhart, is a designer of furniture, while the Countess of Clonmel runs a London laundry.



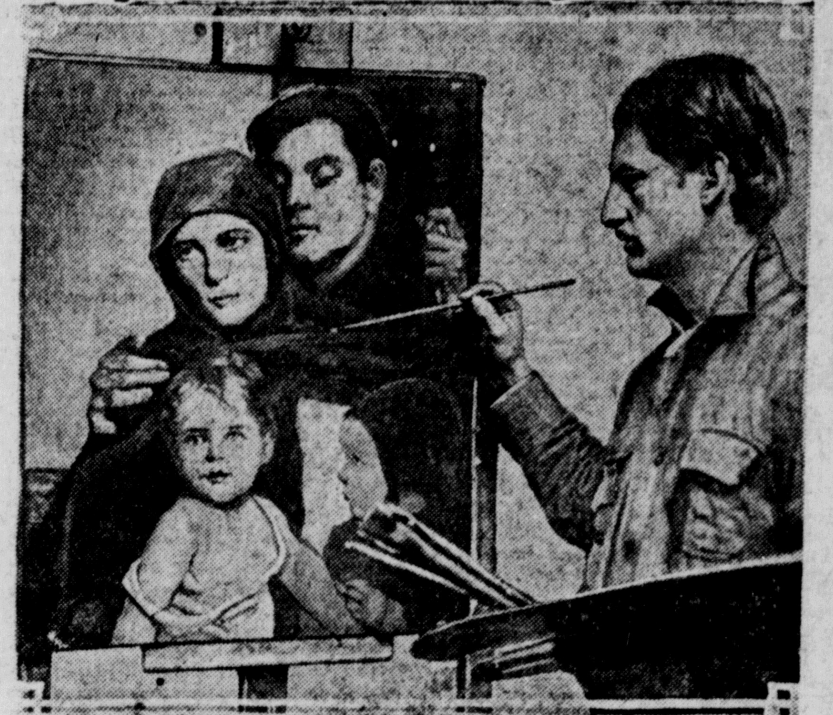
Ninety passengers on the Montreal to Boston Express, wrecked at Gerrish, New Hampshire, owe their lives to the fact that when the pullmans were yanked from the track they tipped against a sandbank and could not turn over. Photo shows derailed cars.

## Another Term for Boy Mayo



Washburn, Wis., evidently is satisfied with the rule of Paul Ungrodt, whom it elected mayor when he was 23 and fresh from college, for it is expected he will be reelected. His accomplishments include freeing the city from indebtedness.

## Paints Girl He Deserted



An international inquiry into the abandonment of an English girl, who left her baby in a Paris hotel and vanished, resulted in admission by Art Wilson, New York artist, that he is the man in the case. He exhibited a religious painting for which the girl posed.

## Seeks Freedom of Philippines



In a joint resolution to the House, Rep. Adolph J. Sabath, Ill., proposes independence of the Philippines under the protection of international treaties, making them perpetually neutral territory.

## Choicest of All Architectural Honors Is His



Prof. Ragnar Ostberg of Stockholm, Sweden, has just been awarded the world's greatest architectural honor of the year, the Royal Gold Medal.

## Enters Oklahoma Senatorial Race

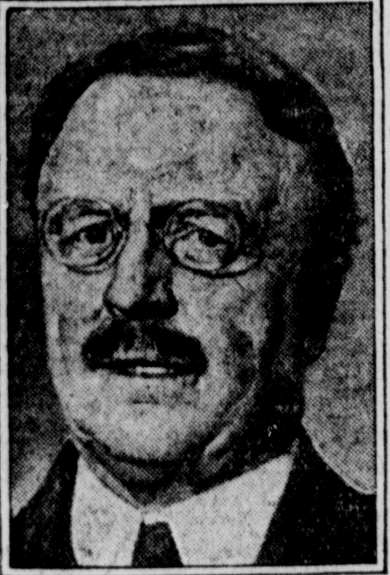


Rep. Elmer Thomas (above), of Oklahoma, Democrat, is opposing John W. Harrell, incumbent, Republican, in the senatorial race in that state. The latter was first Republican Oklahoman ever elected to the senate.

## In the News of the Day



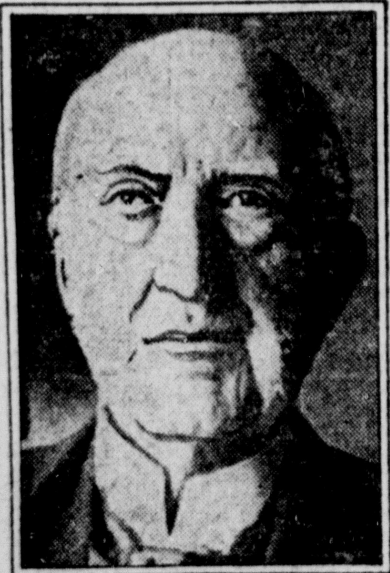
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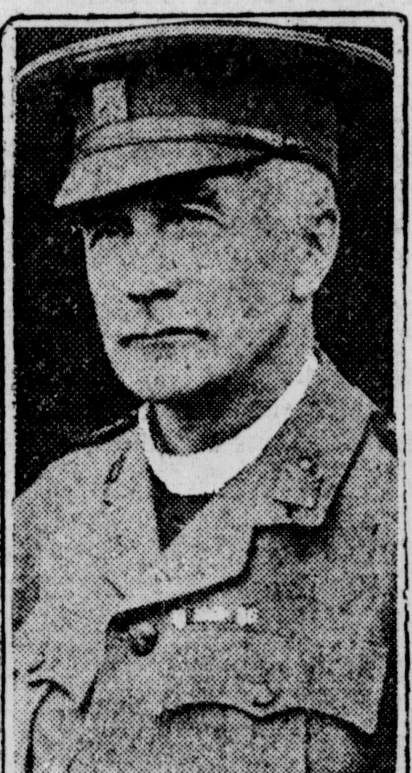
Friends of Governor Ritchie, of Maryland, planned to obtain a "second choice" endorsement of him for the Democratic Presidential nomination from New York, presuming that Governor Smith is "favorite son." The pension of former Mayor Hylan, of New York, and a score of other former city employees was declared invalid after a court fight. Theodore Roosevelt, son of the late President, declared the Volstead Act is a breeder of crime. Chauncey Depew, capitalist, at the age of ninety-two, declared he believed in God, the United States, the radio and the automobile.

## New Sheriff



Mrs. Clara Senecal has been named Sheriff of Clinton County, N. Y. by Governor Smith to succeed her husband, who died recently. Her term has a year to run.

## Bishop of London Plans U. S. Visit



Eight universities will hear addresses by the Rt. Rev. Arthur F. W. Ingram, Anglican bishop of London, when he visits the U. S. in the spring. He will spend the summer in Canada.

## Backs Dry Law



BISHOP DARLING

Bishop James Henry Darling of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Harrisburg, Pa., told the Senate Committee investigating prohibition, that the rank and file of the members of the Catholic church favor the dry law, despite the moderate views of Cardinals O'Connell, Hayes and Mundelein.







GUARDIAN SETTLES  
RAILROAD CLAIM

In settlement of any claim against the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., Roy A. Bowermaster, as guardian of Walter Bowermaster, 12, who lost a leg when he stumbled and fell beneath a cut of freight cars in the local Pennsylvania yards a few months ago, has been allowed \$500 in cash and \$205 in hospital bills. Railroad also paid the court costs in the case.

Entry approving the settlement has been filed in Probate Court. According to Judge S. C. Wright, the youth is said to have been attempting to steal a ride on one of the cars being switched on the tracks when he lost his footing and failing to recover his balance, fell.

CEDARVILLE

The Fortnightly Club met with Miss Ruth Patton in Springfield, Tuesday night.

Miss Mary Williamson spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Mid-dletown attending the library meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Owens, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hartman and family and Miss Ruth Mitchell spent Sunday with friends near Cincinnati.

Mrs. Zetta Bull was hostess to the members of the Wednesday Afternoon Club last week. About twenty-five members and friends were entertained.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Jameson had for their guests, a couple of days last week, Mr. and Mrs. James Work, of Ft. Morgan, Colo. They left Thursday morning on a trip to New York.

The Golden Rule class of the M. E. Church was entertained Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Aden Barlow.

Mr. A. C. Ewbank, who has been teaching at Chester, O. for two years is at home, the school term having ended. "Jack" will make an effort to enlist in the aviation service of the war department.

Mr. John Lott and wife, of Pitts-burgh, drove over last Saturday to visit their parents. Mrs. Lott will remain for the week and Mr. Lott returned to Pittsburgh but joined his wife here, Friday.

Warren Barber returned home

last week. He has been a member of the Miller Amusement Co. band for a few months.

The annual inspection of the O. E. S. Chapter 418, was held at the Masonic Lodge rooms last Monday evening. Mrs. Ethel B. Webster, deputy grand matron, was the inspecting officer and reported the work of the chapter fine. Miss Mary C. Townsley and Mr. Harry S. Townsley were made members at that time. Forty-three members and thirty-eight visitors were present. The chapter presented Mrs. Webster with a silver bon bon dish.

The friends of Mr. J. R. Gano devoted Tuesday in plowing for him. Last February Mr. Gano sustained a fall from a load of hay and has been laid up since that time with an injured knee. Twelve neighbors responded and would have finished plowing had not rain set in. The ladies came along and brought dinner which was served at the Gano home.

The Masonic Lodge of this place put on special work Friday afternoon and night. The first, second and third degrees were given in a covered dish supper was served at 6:30.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ridgway moved to their new home in Xenia. Miss Mable Crain, Mrs. Ridgway's niece, will make her home with them.

The marriage of Miss Lydia Shaw, of Yellow Springs, and Mr. Raymond Bull, of this place, took place Thursday at noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shaw. The bride and groom left for a short wedding trip and upon their return will be at home on the groom's farm east of town.

FIVE BEST RADIO  
FEATURES

THURSDAY

KGO, Oakland, (361), 8 p. m., FCST—KGO Players.

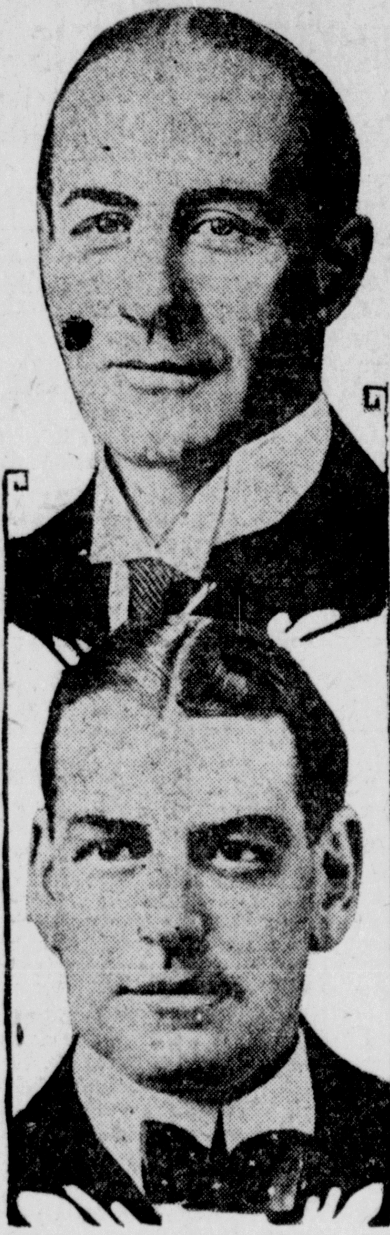
CNBM, Montreal, (411), 9 p. m., Eastern Daylight—Metropolitan Orchestra.

WEAF, Hook Up, 9:30 p. m., Eastern Daylight—Eskimos and Knecht's Orchestra.

WOAW, Omaha, (526), 10:30 p. m., CST—The Nightingales.

WTIC, Hartford, (376), 7:15 p. m., EST—Yale Musical program.

Dictators



The two men in charge of the Government forces in the labor war that is sweeping Britain, are Premier Stanley Baldwin (top) and Postmaster-General Sir William Mitchell Thomson.

EMPLOYMENT UNDER  
PAR-IN BUILDING

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 5—Em-ployment in the construction industry in Ohio was 26 per cent below par in March, the bureau of business research, Ohio State University, reports in the current issue of its "Bulletin of Business Research." The low employment in building trades during that month is ascribed to the prevailing bad weather.

The number of wage earners in this industry was 13.2 percent smaller than in February, while the March wage payments were 16.9 percent less than in the previous month.

An increase in building contracts for six months is shown in four of the largest cities of the state: Cleveland, Cincinnati, Dayton and Akron. Youngstown and Dayton also show increases during February.

"According to the bank debits data, and also according to the building increase data," the bureau reports, "Dayton stands out as one of the most prosperous cities of the state where there has been a more sustained activity and continued growth in industry and trade than elsewhere."

SPRING ENDANGERS  
PERISHABLE FOOD

TOLEDO, O., May 5.—Spring days, with their swift changes of temperature, endanger the perish-

able food supply in the home and constitute a hazard to the health of the household.

A warning to this effect has been issued by the Ohio Association of Ice Industries.

"Simple little precautions are doing a great deal in the way of improving health," says the association. "It has been learned through scientific test, that many perishable foods spoil rapidly and some dangerously when their temperature reaches fifty degrees or more."

DIES MONDAY

Funeral services for William C. Schuster, Jr., 19, of 176 Baltimore St., Dayton, who passed away Monday afternoon at Miami Val-

ley Hospital, Dayton, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence with interment in Fairfield Cemetery.

SUPPER

1st Lutheran Church  
W. Main St.

Thursday Eve, May 6, 5:30  
Creamed Chicken, Patties,  
Noodles Mashed Potatoes,  
Gravy, Lettuce Salad, Hot  
Rolls Butter, Coconut  
Cream Pie, Coffee.  
Children 25c. Adults 50c.  
MRS. FILSON  
N. Detroit St.

MIDDLE AGE BRINGS  
NEW INTERESTS

For Women in Good Health



MRS. HARVEY TUCKER  
408 WALKER STREET, SHELBYVILLE, IND.

"Grow old along with me,  
The best is yet to be"

With her children grown up, the middle-aged woman finds time to do the things she never had time to do before—read the new books, see the new plays, enjoy her grandchildren, take an active part in church and civic affairs. Far from being pushed aside by the younger set, she finds a full, rich life of her own. That is, if her health is good.

Thousands of women of middle age, say they owe their vigor and health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Those who have

learned through their own experience the merit of this dependable medicine are enthusiastic in recommending it to their friends and neighbors.

"I had been in bad condition for three months. I could not do my work. One day I read what you medicine had done and just had a feeling that it would help me, so I sent and got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I had only taken half a bottle when I got up and started to do my work. It gave me an appetite, and helped me wonderfully. I can not praise this medicine highly enough. I surely will advise all women and girls to take it, and they don't have to use rouge to look healthy. My two daughters are taking it now and one is also using the Sanative Wash. I am willing to have you use this testimonial and I will answer letters from women asking about the medicine."—MRS. HARVEY TUCKER, 408 Walker St., Shelbyville, Indiana.

"I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the Little Books you give away and began to take the medicine. After the first few bottles I began to feel better and could eat better and had fewer headaches. I feel like a different person. At anytime that I don't feel good I take the Vegetable Compound again, as I always keep a bottle on hand. You may use this letter for every word is true. I will answer any letters sent to me."—MRS. JEANIE BOLLEMAN, 515 Smith St., West Hoboken, N. J.

It's Just a Real Good Tire

THAT'S

Dayton Thorobreds

Recommendation From Everyone

XENIA AUTO NECESSITY CO

"Tom and Dick, the Tire Boys"

South Detroit St.

The Home of Dayton Thorobreds

Sitting pretty and no mistake!



LIKE the chap in the song, I'm sitting on top of the world. And it's not a bad world when you look at it from all sides. I've hit some rough spots, but managed to keep my seat. I want to let it be known that the road has been a heap smoother since I discovered Prince Albert. Here is tobacco!

My old jimmy-pipe and Prince Albert and I go along just singin' a song from morning to midnight. Whenever I get to feeling low, I take out my pipe, tamp a load of good old P. A. into the muzzle and light up. Old Man Trouble takes French leave the minute that wonderful smoke starts up the stem.

Prince Albert is friendly in spirit and friendly in fact. It never bites my tongue or parches my throat. They tell me the Prince Albert process fixed that for me and millions like me. I only know that P. A. is cool and satisfying as spring-water on a hot afternoon and that it suits me to a T.

You're welcome to this leaf out of my book. If you're not smoking P. A., you're not getting full enjoyment out of your pipe. Just get yourself a tidy red tin of Prince Albert. Load up your old jimmy-pipe and light up. Nothing complicated about that, is there? Well, that's my formula. It always works for me.

PRINCE ALBERT

—no other tobacco is like it!

P. A. is sold everywhere in tidy red tins, pound and half-pound tin humidor, and pound crystal-glass humidors with sponge-moistener top. And always with every bit of bite and punch removed by the Prince Albert process.



Correct weight  
can be yours



be shapely!

"I DO NOT want to be thin! I just want to be my right weight! I want these hollows filled out. I just want enough firm, plump flesh on my bones to fill out my figure." Of course you do. You want a figure that you can drape your clothes on—not just hang them on! What's the use of having pretty clothes, if they just hang on you? And what would you say if you were told you could have the figure you want? A graceful, well rounded body—firm, solid flesh—just enough—just your right weight? You'd be mighty happy, wouldn't you? Well, then, be happy—because you can have it! Put plenty of red cells in your blood and watch your weight go up to where you want it! That's what's the matter with you! Your blood is impoverished. You need more rich, red blood. S. S. S. is the thing to put red blood in your system. S. S. S. helps Nature build red blood-cells by the millions. You just try S. S. S. and watch how quickly you begin to fill out your clothes. Notice your skin clear of unsightly blemishes—your appetite increase—strength come to flabby muscles and vim and vigor fill your whole system. It's red blood that does it. And S. S. S. surely helps Nature build that red blood. S. S. S. is sold by all drug stores. The larger bottle is more economical.



GAS BUGGIES—Who Did It?



My Matrimonial  
Vacation  
by VIOLET DARE

WHO'S WHO AND WHAT'S  
HAPPENED

NANCY LARRABEE remains in New York with her mother. VIRGINIA, when her husband, JIM LARRABEE, who is an army officer, goes to the Philippines on foreign service. Disillusioned after six months of marriage when she sees another woman in her husband's arms, she plays the social game as her mother dictates, in her relationships with FRANK HARRISON, a wealthy man twice her age, and NICHOLAS WAYNE, whom she really likes.

TODAY'S INSTALMENT

XVI—A LITTLE GAME OF LOVE

MY LITTLE plan for making Nick's wife—his former wife, rather—jealous worked perfectly.

I could watch her across the restaurant, out of the corner of my eye. Nick played up to me beautifully especially after he saw that she could hardly eat for watching us. He smiled down at me, and when I looked over toward a door and told him I felt a draft, he summoned a waiter and had the door closed, as fiercely as if I'd been a royal princess.

I had a beautiful idea. Sometimes I wish I'd been an actress. It must be such fun to throw yourself into a new role. I almost convinced myself that I was crazy about Nick—and it wasn't hard at all. He's awfully attractive, and so nice and sincere.

"Lord, Nancy, if I'd known you could be like this, I'd have—well, I've cared enough for you as it is," he said. "I wish I dared hope you meant any of the nice things you're saying!"

I didn't answer, but performed one of my pretties tricks—took two cigarettes, put the tips of both of them in my mouth, and leaned forward to light them at one of the candles that burned in a beautiful old brass candelabra on our table.

Then I took one of them, kissed it lightly, and handed it to him. I don't care about smoking, but it's worth bothering with a cigarette just to do that.

Nick's wife just stared at me. Her hands lay on the table, clenched tight. Her cheeks were flaming. She turned prettily to the man and said something, then rose and came over to our table.

"Hello, Nick," she said, assuming a nonchalance which I was sure she didn't feel. "How are you?"

He leaped to his feet so eagerly that I was afraid to give our little game away. But when he spoke his voice was a marvel of polite distinctness.

"This is great, seeing you here to-night!" he exclaimed. And then he went on, as if he'd found something very precious and wanted her to share the wonderful privilege—"I want you to meet Miss Larrabee—Nancy dear."



The yacht really was beautiful.

yacht that belonged to somebody else. Other people's luxury has never appealed to me; unless there's some chance of my enjoying it. I don't care anything about it.

But that yacht was part of Nick's work, and I knew better than to let him know that it meant nothing to me. And of course after you get into the habit of playing a game you can't get out of it, whether you enjoy it or not. I'd spent my whole life trying to do whatever would please other people, men especially.

The yacht really was beautiful. Being enthusiastic about it was not hard at all. And Nick was so proud of it! He kept pointing out details that I'd never have noticed, things that didn't seem at all important to me, and when I'd speak of something that I liked especially he was like a young father whose baby you're admiring, pleased as Punch.

"Who owns the boat, Nick?" I asked, as we sauntered through the main cabin.

"Funny thing, but I don't know. It's been sold, just recently—only a day or two ago, in fact. It was sold through an agent, and the name hasn't been made public yet."

Well, he's a lucky man," I answered lightly. "Wish I knew him." Little did I suspect that I did know him—or how soon I was to find out that I did!

Tomorrow—The Yacht's Owner Appears.



# BRITISH STRIKE CLOUDS MAY BREAK

## GRAND JURY CONSIDERS NESBITT MURDER

### BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE; LOSS \$10,500

Entire Contents Destroyed Before Flames Discov-  
ered and Help Was Summoned On John  
H. Harner Farm

Fanned by a brisk wind, fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed a large barn on the farm of John H. Harner, Upper Bellbrook Pike, two miles west of Xenia, with a loss to building and contents estimated at \$10,500, Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Loss is only partially covered by insurance.

Loss to the building is estimated at \$2,000 and contents were valued at \$7,500.

The barn housed 2,000 bushels of corn, 1,400 bushels of oats, an automobile, and almost all the farm machinery including a tractor, binder, mower and other equipment.

### BELIEVE SALESMAN WILL PLEAD GUILTY AFTER INDICTMENT

Second Degree True Bill  
Would Make Trial  
Unnecessary

By United Press  
TROY, O., May 5.—The Miami County grand jury tomorrow is scheduled to begin writing what may be the epilogue of the now famous Frances Drake Nesbitt murder.

The jury, which today was disposing of routine business, is expected to consider the indictment of Jacob Nesbitt, the young salesman who confessed he slew his wife during a "red rage."

The course of the jury's action, it was believed, will determine Nesbitt's fate. If, as it is believed he will be, he is indicted on charges of second degree murder, he is expected to plead guilty.

Second degree murder would carry a penalty of life imprisonment, or less. If an indictment charging first degree murder is returned, however, Nesbitt, is expected to stand trial.

The only other alternative, it was pointed out today, is that Nesbitt could be adjudged insane and committed to some state institution.

County Prosecutor L. E. Harvey said he was prepared to present his case. By his drastic threat to force any person who insisted upon inferring scandal is being covered up in the Nesbitt case, Harvey has stopped rumors about "some one being involved and protected."

The prosecutor forced one newspaper reporter and an investigator, whom the reporter had quoted, to admit they had no grounds for scandalous suspicions they voiced.

Harvey also has a "pleasant surprise" awaiting a number of Troy citizens, whom he was reported to have heard gossiping in the form of subpoenas to testify before the grand jury.

L. H. Shipman, Nesbitt's attorney, will not admit he contemplates a guilty plea from Nesbitt but does admit he has not prepared any special line of defense, and that he does not believe a first degree murder indictment will be returned.

This was interpreted as meaning that in the event he is indicted for less than first degree murder, Nesbitt will plead guilty.

### MATTHIAS TO SEEK OHIO BENCH AGAIN

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Edward S. Matthias, of Van Wert today filed his formal declaration of candidacy for re-election to the state bench. Judge Matthias is a Republican.

Of the three members of the supreme court whose terms expire this year, Judge Matthias is first to file for re-election. He was elected to the bench in 1914 and was re-elected in 1920.

The petition was signed by five common pleas judges, of north-west counties.

### SAYS CONGRESS TO ADJOURN JUNE 1

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Rep. Tilson, Republican floor leader and virtual dictator of the house today told President Coolidge today the house and senate would adjourn about June 1.

He said the English impeachment trial would go over to November, when the senate would meet two weeks earlier than the house, in special session.

### GREAT BRITAIN WITH LABOR TO

By W. T. Mason  
Written For The United Press

Great Britain will never settle her recurring strike crises until American methods of efficiency in production and American standards of hard work and high wages are accepted by the British.

Threats to tie up industry in the United Kingdom are signs of a revolt against low living conditions, dangerously disquieting only because the British have not yet harmonized relations between employers and employees.

The cause of the industrial unrest by the British is symbolized by the conditions in the coal industry, it costs two or three times as much to mine coal in Great Britain as it does in the United States. Antiquated methods, limit of out-

### Strike Photo by Radio



This is the first picture of an actual strike scene in London to reach the United States by the new commercial radio process. The three labor czars are shown—left to right, Arthur Henderson, Ramsay MacDonald and J. H. Thomas, on the way to a conference.

### SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA CHARGES SOKOLOFF WITH MIS--CONDUCT

Members Sign Petition Against Leader of Cleveland Body—Harpist Resigns Rather Than Play Under Director

CLEVELAND, O., May 5.—Discord in the ranks of the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra, resulting from the alleged misconduct of director Nikolai Sokoloff, presented two new developments today.

They were: Submission of a petition to Dudley S. Blossom, vice president of the Musical Arts Association of Cleveland, charging Sokoloff with "conduct unbecoming a gentleman." The petition bears the signatures of ninety-six members of the orchestra.

Resignation of Miss Laura Newell Valiss, harpist, who announced her resignation "would not permit her to remain a member of the orchestra after the recent Dayton affair."

The petition was presented to Blossom by Albert E. Clarke, trombonist and relates to the incident in Dayton on April 28, when a concert was held up an hour as a result of difficulties arising in the afternoon rehearsal.

Two members left the orchestra after an altercation with Sokoloff. "I have no personal grievance but I am not a hypocrite," Miss Valiss said in explaining the reason for her resignation. "I cannot play for one who I cannot honor and respect as a gentleman. My contract had one more season to run and I regret very much leaving the orchestra. But my conscience will not permit me to play after that affair in Dayton."

Miss Valiss said she would leave Cleveland Saturday for New York City, where she probably will open a studio. She was released from her contract by Mrs. Adelia Prenzits Hughes, manager of the orchestra.

### NEW SWITCH SPEEDS TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE OPERATION

Installation of a new automatic control system to replace the old control unit on the traffic signal device at Main and Detroit Sts., will cut eighteen seconds off the operating time and speed up traffic at the intersection according to Peter Shagin, traffic policeman.

A Ft. Wayne Automatic Switch was installed Tuesday by the city and the Greene County Auto Club, which provides for a complete change of signals every fifty seconds. The new control was obtained following complaints that the old operation was too slow.

Maximum speed of the control unit with which the signal standard was equipped, allowed for thirty-two seconds on the red and green lights and a four second amber period, or an over-all operation of sixty eight seconds.

With the new device only twenty-five seconds are allowed for red and green lights and the amber comes on with which ever color is showing for the last three seconds of the period. This enables drivers to make ready for the change or to start a right hand turn before the actual change takes place and cuts the over-all operating time to fifty seconds.

Motorists are being reminded also that they may make turns on the green light if traffic is light enough but that they must be cautious about turning into traffic or endangering pedestrians who are crossing with the red light as pedestrian traffic has the right of way.

### POLAR EXPEDITION LEAVES HENINGRAD FOR SPITZBERGEN

Amundsen Party To  
Leave King's Bay Next  
Week

Explorers and air pioneers today again were in the forefront of interest. The dirigible Norge of the Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile expedition to the North Pole, left Leningrad for Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, the next to the last stage of its flight.

Captain Loriga of the Spanish Madrid-Manila-Tokio airplane flight, missing several days, was rescued and brought to Macao, China, aboard a gunboat.

Captain R. E. Byrd, commanding an all-American airplane expedition to the North Pole, was at Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, making final arrangements for the "jump off" of his flight.

Captain George Wilkins of the Detroit Aero Club polar expedition hoped to get away from Fairbanks, Alaska today by airplane for Point Barrow, the starting point for his flight.

TOMSOR, Norway, May 5.—The Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile Polar expedition's dirigible Norge which left Leningrad for Spitzbergen this morning was reported flying across Finland with light southeasterly winds this afternoon.

"At 1:10 p. m. the Norge was reported heading for Vadsoe in the extreme northeastern section of Norway," and add:

The Norge, however, is racing a storm due to low pressure in the region of Greenland. If it passes Vadsoe soon, however, it is expected it can reach Kings Bay ahead of the storm.

OSLO, Norway, May 5.—The Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile expedition's dirigible Norge will leave Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, early next week in its attempt to reach the North Pole, according to information here. These advisers say the dirigible which left Leningrad today for Kings Bay, should reach Spitzbergen Friday.

### PITCHER ALSO IS CATCHER

CLEVELAND, O., May 5.—George Uhl, star hurler for the Cleveland Indians, is not always a pitcher.

Last night George was enroute home when he surprised a girl and a man holding up a filling station.

The alleged bandits became frightened and fled. Uhl captured the girl—Betty Mary Stanley, 20, of Kansas City, Mo.—after an exciting chase.

Mary today denied knowledge of the holdup and said she did not know "John" her boy companion, was a bandit.

"I came to Cleveland looking for work and he offered me a ride," she sobbed, adding that she didn't know John's last name.

Twenty dollars were obtained in the alleged robbery.

### CRISIS LOOMS

BRUSSELS, May 5.—A cabinet seemed imminent today. Colonial Minister Botton and Baron Rolin Jacquemine, minister of the interior, resigned, unbalancing the cabinet representation of the various parties.

NEW YORK—Greta Nissen, Norwegian beauty arrived here from Hollywood and announced she had abandoned the movies. "I shall go back on the stage. It is the only real art," she said.

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Spanish aviator, on being picked up by the Portuguese gunboat Patria after being missing several days.

"Bad weather and engine trouble forced us to descend on rocky terrain, where the plane smashed," Loriga told the United Press.

## PRIVATE MEETING HELD BETWEEN PREMIER AND THOMAS TO SEEK PEACE

Laborite Overtures For Conference Indicate Union  
Resolve Cracking—Meanwhile Volunteers  
Help Restore Normalcy

LONDON, May 5.—With the general strike at the end of thirty-six hours, gradually showing signs of yielding to the pitiless opposition of the government, the United Press today was authoritatively informed J. H. Thomas and Premier Baldwin will meet today in private in a renewed effort to find a basis for industrial peace.

It was understood the meeting will be unostentatious and of the most private character in order not to attract attention or raise false hopes.

The laborite overtures for a conference between Thomas and Baldwin represent the first tangible sign of cracking of the striker's refusal to negotiate.

It was understood the trades union council sanctioned Thomas' action, but reserved the right to disown or reject any of his proposals or any result which might come from the proposed meeting.

If the conference takes place Thomas must be considered as a volunteer mediator whose influence in labor circles is tremendous but who cannot bind the strikers nor their leaders by his action.

As Thomas moved for peace, Britain slowly but surely, and at the cost of tremendous effort, was emerging triumphant from the clutch of the strike Octopus. At first the country had been powerless.

The government's all embracing system of alleviation and the hearty response to the call of volunteers, was reflected primarily in the hourly enlargement of train service and extension of food distribution.

The government communique at noon announced that there were no signs of panic; that an attempt had been made to interfere with the bus service in Nottingham, but that the situation was giving no anxiety. Volunteers were listed as follows: London, 12,450; Northeast England, 10,000; North Midland, 4,900; North Britain, 10,000.

Approximately 300,000 copies of the British Gazette, official government newspaper, had been distributed throughout England, and additional copies were being printed.

Twelve to fifteen provincial newspapers were being published, including two afternoon papers. The others are weekly.

In the North Midlands, thirty per cent of the Midland Railway clerks were working. A small section of the London subway was running, and six minute service was expected by tomorrow. The subways have received 3,000 volunteers, as many as they can train.

At Rotherham, near Manchester, there was an ineffective attempt to stop the buses.

Some recovery from the chaotic conditions of yesterday was reported today although the nation was apprehensive.

Crowds were thickening hourly around the gates of the East India docks and troops in Cannington, nearby, were ready for whatever might come.

There have already been disorders in Cannington, but no details of the happenings were known as the police closed the affected area to vehicles and pedestrians.

The disturbances were probably similar to those which flamed up in Poplar last night with the result that twenty strikers were in a hospital, their heads broken by swinging batons of police.

Wales and the Clydeside area of Scotland, presented the most serious threats to peace. Bus drivers were mobbed today at the F. Gate Garage of the General Omnibus Company which serves London. An attempt to bring out a few busses had to be abandoned.

Half the staff of the Poplar Municipal Electric Co., struck today and the refusal of the Stepney Municipal Station to supply current in the daytime affects all of Stepney including the London hospital of the largest in the city.

### SENATORS WATSON AND ROBINSON WIN EASILY IN INDIANA

By United Press  
INDIANAPOLIS, May 5.—Senator James E. Watson, seeking his party's nomination against the combined strength of such political powers as Postmaster General New, former Senator Albert J. Beveridge, and Everett Sanders, secretary to President Coolidge, today was victorious at the polls by a majority that is expected to reach 150,000.

Returns from 1,656 of the state's 3,551 precincts gave Watson 114,594 votes against 45,145 for his opponent, Chris Adams.

Arthur R. Robinson, appointed by Governor Ed. Jackson to occupy the senate seat of the late Senator Ralston until an election could be held, defeated four other candidates for the short two-year term. His vote surpassed the total vote of his four opponents and his managers claimed the majority would reach 50,000.

Four of the six candidates for the Democratic long term nomination were so closely grouped together a majority for one candidate appeared impossible and the nomination will be decided in a party convention.

### WONDER HOW THIS BECAME PUBLIC?

NEW YORK, May 5.—Counsel for Sallie Bronis, and there was no publicity man who objected, announced that the "Night Club dancer, was planning to sue Harry Greb, deposed middleweight champion for \$100,000, charging breach of promise.

Miss Bronis, alleged in the presence of newspaper men, who in some mysterious way had got word that she would allege something, that she had letters and telegrams from Greb in which he promised to marry her, asked her to become a mother to his 9-year-old daughter and pre-arranged with her to wear more clothes when she danced.

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### RECOMMEND WAYNE COUNTY FOR FEEBLE MINDED HOME SITE

Committee Of State De-  
partment Also Has  
Two Others

By United Press  
COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—Acquisition of a farm near Apple Creek, Wayne County, as the site for the state's new Northeastern Ohio Institution for the feeble minded, was recommended in a report submitted to state Welfare Director Harper today by the welfare department advisory committee. The committee is also considering two alternative sites—one near New London and the other near Ravenna.

The price of the Apple Creek site the committee reported would aggregate \$301,599; for New London, \$278,411 and for Ravenna \$226,340. The committee said the cost of establishing a waterworks and softening processes at the New London site probably would make it the most expensive of all.

The topography around Ravenna would make construction of an impounding reservoir very difficult, the committee further reported.

Harper was away from the city today but announced before his departure that as soon as the committee had submitted its recommendations he would select the site.

Selection of the Apple Creek site was virtually conceded in state house circles.

### BOSTONIAN GLAD TO LEAVE ROMAN JAIL

ROME, May 5.—"You bet I am glad to be out!" John Adams Abbott, prominent young Bostonian, told the United Press following his release after nine days of imprisonment in a Roman jail. Arrested after a fight with a guide, Abbott was liberated when a magistrate was satisfied he had made no derogatory remarks regarding Premier Mussolini.

"I was treated fine in prison," he continued. "Life there was much better than it was outside. I certainly did not utter Mussolini's name."

### GIRL USES PISTOL TO DEFEND HONOR

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—Clifford Maze, 21, was reported dying and Miss Jean Tennyson, 17, was held by police today, following a joy ride which ended on a lonely road near here last night.

Miss Tennyson told police she shot Maze in defense of her honor during an attempt at criminal assault.

### SPRING WEATHER CHECKS INFLUENZA

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—The wave of influenza which has swept the state has been checked by the mild spring weather, the state health department announced today.

Measles is still prevalent, however, the department warned.

### HEADS SCHOOLS

MARION, O., May 5.—Jesse H. Mason, formerly of Chillicothe, has been re-elected superintendent of Marion School at a salary ranging from \$6,000 to \$7,500 annually.

### Millionairess



The news that she had just inherited \$2,300,000 didn't seem to make much impression on Gloria Morgan Vanderbilt, of New York, shown with her mama. She'd probably trade it all for a doll with blue eyes that open and close.

### CONVICT THREE FOR DEATH CONSPIRACY AND WITHOUT MERCY

Expect Trio Will Die In  
Chair For Brutal  
Murder

POMEROY, O., May 5.—Three men probably will die in the electric chair for the brutal murder of James McCumber, 65, whose body was found in an abandoned cistern here several weeks ago. This was expected to be the decree of the court, when John Bryant, negro bootlegger and Richard Rhoades and John Hedrick, white, hired assassins are arraigned for sentence.

A jury here last night found Bryant guilty of hiring Rhoades and Hedricks to kill McCumber. Hedricks turned states evidence, implicating Rhoades and Bryant.

Mercy was not recommended and unless mitigating circumstances are developed the court is expected to sentence the three men to death.

Hedricks confessed Bryant paid him and Rhoades \$30 to dispose of McCumber, who had been an avowed enemy of the negro.

### FRENCH CABINET TO DISCUSS LOW FRANC

PARIS, May 5.—Premier Briand today summoned his cabinet to meet tomorrow to discuss means of checking the record-breaking slump of the Franc, which again carried it to a new low level today. The cabinet will also discuss the Moroccan situation.

One American dollar today was worth 31.51 francs and an English pound sterling was worth 153 francs.

### TO HEAR BERENGER

PARIS, May 5.—Henri Berenger, French ambassador to the United States is expected in France the end of this month and will speak before the French senate in support of the agreement for repayment of his country's debt to the United States, it is learned today.



## OHIO FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS HAS TREE PLANTING

In honor of fifteen past and present presidents of the organization, an identical number of trees were planted in the John Bryan farm at Yellow Springs by the Ohio Federation of Women's Clubs Wednesday.

Spot where the trees were planted has been designated as "Presidents' Grove." Arrangements for the planting were in charge of special committees.

Trees will be dedicated Friday, May 14. This is the last day of the convention of the Ohio Federation which will be held in Springfield.

A small bronze tablet, bearing the name of the president and the date of her service, will be placed in front of each tree. A post, bearing the words, "Presidents' Grove," will be erected in front of the grove.

In connection with the dedication ceremonies, it is also planned to have each tablet unveiled by a member of the state federation, who served under the president for whom the tree is dedicated.

Principal address at the dedication exercises May 14 will be delivered by Dr. Josephine Pierce, Lima, Ohio. Carrying out the original idea, a tree will be plant-

ed in the grove every year and named for the president of the organization of that year.

## EXERCISES FRIDAY WILL CLOSE SPRING VALLEY TP. SCHOOLS

Schools of Spring Valley Twp., will close with Mass Day exercises, Friday afternoon, May 7, in the auditorium of the new high school beginning at 1 o'clock, central standard time.

First part of the program will be rendered by the eighth grade pupils of the township schools, at the close of which Prof. D. H. Barnes, assistant county superintendent, will present diplomas to the following pupils:

Robert Beam, Ruth Benson, Carl Baxley, Evelyn Brandenburg, Harper Billmyre, Ruth Anna Curry, Herbert Goodman, Harvey Huff, Thomas Haydock, Paule Kyne, Emma Hazlip, John Kyne, David Leshner, Hazel Matthews, Hollie Miller, Othel Moore, Raymond McKnight, Carson Norris, Minnie Peterson, Ruby Smith, Dorothy Sollers, Robert Smith, Donald Thompson, Vernon Taylor.

After the eighth grade exercises, the pupils of the grade schools, under the direction of Prof. W. C. Sayre, county music director, will present a beautiful pageant. High school orchestra will furnish music for the event.

Senior class play will be given in the high school auditorium Thursday evening, May 13.

High school commencement will be held Thursday evening, May 20, to be held Thursday evening, May 20.

## ACCIDENT VICTIM REPORTED BETTER

Arthur Sidenstricker, 36 Charles St., foreman of the service department of the city waterworks plant, who was painfully hurt when struck by an auto driven by J. L. Dunlap, Wilmington, while supervising unloading of pipes on Home Ave., Tuesday morning, is "improving nicely," according to a statement issued by Dr. A. D. DeHaven, the attending physician.

Sidenstricker submitted to an examination for broken bones or possible internal injuries Tuesday night and Dr. DeHaven declared painful body bruises are the extent of his injuries.

His condition is not serious although he may be confined to bed for a week or ten days it is said.

Accident occurred when Sidenstricker stepped across the road to instruct his men in the pipe laying, walking directly in the path of the approaching machine. Neither the foreman or motorist was awake to the danger until too late to avoid the accident, witnesses said.

## YELLOW SPRINGS MARRIED THURSDAY

The marriage of Raymond Bull, of Cedarville and Miss Lydia Shaw took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shaw, Thursday morning, Rev. C. H. White, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church officiated.

Following the ceremony a luncheon was served to the relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Bull left Thursday afternoon for their honeymoon. They will reside on a farm near Cedarville.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church will serve the banquet dinner for the Yellow Springs Civic Club Friday evening. The dinner will be served in the basement of the church at 6:30. At this time the first annual election of officers will take place.

Mrs. Louis Gogner, who has been at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, for several weeks, where she underwent an operation for goitre, was able to be brought home, Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Chapman and children, Jean and Bobbie, arrived Thursday from Galveston, Texas. Mrs. Chapman was called here on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. George Bickett, who is in McClellan Hospital, Xenia, suffering from an injured hip.

Mrs. Adeline Titus and her mother, Mrs. Showell moved from their home on Glen Street into Mrs. Annie Warner's house on N. College St., Friday. Mrs. Titus' house will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wheth erill.

Dr. and Mrs. D. Berman left Friday for Wheeling, W. Va., where Dr. Berman will have charge of the health department. During the absence of Dr. J. R. Eary, the past year, Dr. Berman has been in charge of the clinic at Antioch College.

The ladies of St. Paul's Catholic Church will give a euchre in the basement of the church Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bickett and daughters, Helen and Ruth arrived Saturday from Watertown, Wis., to visit Mr. Bickett's mother, Mrs. George Bickett.

Mrs. Walter Johnson, of Terre Haute, Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. H. Jones.

Miss Eureka Meredith of Cincinnati, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meredith. Mr. and Mrs. William Bolander and little daughter, Martha Lee of Springfield spent Sunday with Mrs. Bolander's sister, Mrs. Willis Grove.

The members of W. N. Mantle's Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church were entertained at the home of Mrs. Dick Denison, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Clarence Diehl assisted Mrs. Denison in entertaining.

Little Sam Prugh entertained seventeen of his little schoolmates Monday afternoon. The party was in honor of Sam's sixth birthday.

Miss Jeannette Tait of Springfield have come here for the summer and are occupying their property on High St.

Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Weston will leave Thursday for their summer home in the mountains of New York. During their absence their house will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. David Hanchett.

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### COUNTY RECEPTION AND BANQUET TUESDAY

With the pastel and bright shades of the girls frocks vying with the early flowers of the newly arrived Spring, the annual Greene County junior-senior reception at First United Presbyterian Church, this city, Tuesday evening, was one of the loveliest affairs of that nature ever held here.

Two hundred people, members of both classes, county board members and their wives, attended the reception and banquet. The attendance was larger than the year previous and the entire affair thoroughly enjoyable. Honor guests of the evening, seniors of the county schools with their hosts and hostesses, members of the junior classes, were received at 7 o'clock in the main church auditorium.

The banquet was served immediately following, in the dining room. County colors of green and white were employed in decorating the staircase, dining room and tables. Streamers of green and white crepe paper were festooned over the lights and strands led from the center of the room to the walls. Lighted green tapers on the tables added to the festive effect and other appointments of the banquet carried out the color scheme. A two-course banquet was served by women of the church.

County Superintendent of Schools H. C. Aultman presided and introduced Mr. W. C. Sayrs, Alpha, who led the county orchestra in furnishing music for the occasion. Clever songs, with words applied locally, were sung during the dinner hour.

Mr. Aultman delivered his brief annual address to the students after the banquet and called on various representatives of senior classes to respond with toasts. Responses were made by Dallas Marshall, Cedarville; Katherine Noggle, Spring Valley; George Dick, Ross Twp; Harold Huston, Yellow Springs; Brooks Reeder, Jamestown; Mildred Carr, Caledonia; and Miriam Jones, Beaver Creek.

Main address of the evening was made by Mr. Thurman "Dusty" Miller, Wilmington. Mr. Miller is a favorite with local audiences and his address was replete with his usual brand of humor and "spice." While admonishing the students to take the right attitude in and out of school, he related a number of jokes that put his point across. His talk was enthusiastically received.

The evening's program was closed with several short songs, before the party adjourned.

### WOMEN'S COMMITTEE AT COUNTRY CLUB

Announcement of another committee, to assist in plans for the season at the Xenia Country Club, the coming season, was made Wednesday by Mrs. George I. Graham, general chairman of women's activities.

Mrs. H. C. Messinger, Mrs. D. W. Cherry, Mrs. J. H. Whitmer, Mrs. E. W. Woodward and Mrs. A. Kelbie, are members of the Monday luncheon committee.

### ORIENT HILL P. T. A. OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

Mrs. Otis Pramer was elected president of Orient Hill Parent-Teacher Association, Monday afternoon, when members met at the school.

Mrs. Herman Eavey was elected vice-president; Mrs. LeRoy Smith, secretary and Mrs. Brant Bell, treasurer.

Plans were laid for a community supper at the school, May 20.

### GIRLS' CLUB MEETS AFTER SCHOOL HOURS

After the close of school, Tuesday members of the Busy Bee Club, gathered at the home of Miss Mildred Horner, W. Second St.

A short business meeting was held, succeeded by games and a social time. Dainty refreshments were served by Little Miss Horner.

### DINNER AND CARDS AT FISHER RESIDENCE

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fisher, Cincinnati Ave., was the scene of a charming informal affair Tuesday evening. Twenty-six guests were received. An elaborate dinner was served with attractive appointments. Six tables of five hundred were in play during the remainder of the evening.

Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Rudolph Weber, Friday afternoon, May 7, at 2:30 o'clock. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. W. O. Jeffries, Mrs. Jacob Baldwin and Mrs. W. E. Cox. Large attendance is desired to plan for the year's work.

Hawkins Community Club will meet at the school Friday evening, May 7, for its regular monthly meeting. An interesting program has been prepared, later which refreshments will be served by the club. Members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome.

Mrs. H. A. Thompson and two children, Columbus, are visiting Mrs. Thompson's parents, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Kyle, W. Third St. The Rev. Mr. Thompson is in St. Louis, attending closing exercises at the Xenia Theological Seminary.

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### FORMER XENIA GIRL ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Esther Orr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orr, Kansas City, formerly of Xenia to Mr. Edward C. Swigart, Stockwell, Mo., is being received with no little interest by her local friends.

Miss Orr has been spending the winter at her home in Kansas City and the announcement was made there. Her father was formerly postmaster of Xenia and is now manager of the Kansas City mills of the Hooven and Allison Co.

Miss Orr was for a time dietitian in a Kansas City hospital and later in welfare work in Cleveland. She resigned the latter position last summer to return to her home. Her marriage to Mr. Swigart will take place in the fall.

### MARRIAGE TAKES PLACE AT PARSONAGE

In the presence of only immediate relatives, Miss Dora Marie Potts, Bellbrook Pike, and Mr. Paul D. Patterson, Monroe, O., were married Wednesday morning.

The quiet service took place at the First M. E. parsonage, the Rev. F. W. Stanton officiating, at 10:30 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson will reside at Monroe.

### CHURCH PARTY IS AN ASSURED SUCCESS

Reservations for forty-three tables had been made Wednesday morning with Mrs. Charles Adair and members of her committee, in charge of the card party sponsored by Christ Episcopal Church, at the Elks' Club, Thursday.

Cards will be the main attraction for patrons of the affair. Mrs. Adair announced that no single reservations are being made, in order to insure even tables for the afternoon. Reservations are to be obtained by Thursday morning with Mrs. Adair.

May meeting of the Berean Bible Class, First Reformed Church, will be held Thursday evening, at the home of Mrs. Edwin Buck, N. West St.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stout and son, Jimmy, Hill St., spent Monday and Tuesday at St. Mary's on a fishing excursion.

Meeting of Pride of Xenia thimble club has been postponed until a date to be announced later, owing to the district rally in Columbus.

Miss Lulu Hight, matron of Cottage 10, O. S. and S. O. Home, fractured both arms and received severe bruises when she fell down a flight of stairs at the institution cottage, Monday. The accident happened when Miss Hight lost her footing at the head of the dark stairway. Her injuries are not serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sparks have returned to Xenia from Summerville, Ala., and other southern points where they spent several months during the winter. They are residing on S. Detroit St., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riddell, who are still in the South.

The Rev. W. H. Tilford, N. Detroit St., is attending commencement exercises at Lane Seminary, Cincinnati, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Conklin Diboll has returned to her home in Wilmington, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark, W. Main St.

Old Town Community Club meeting will be marked with a special program at the school, next Friday evening. Refreshments will be served. Members and their friends are invited.

Prof. N. M. Chatterjee, Antioch College, addressed the Woman's Literary Club of Urbana, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Chatterjee was also a guest of the club.

May meeting of Xenia W. C. T. U. has been postponed until further announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Barker, Hamilton, O., are announcing the birth of a son, Monday. Mrs. Barker was before marriage Miss Miriam Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Galloway, this city. Mrs. Galloway is at the Barker home.

Robert Friedman, son of Mr. Isadore Friedman, E. Main St., received painful bruises and scratches about the face when he was knocked down by an automobile, near St. Bridget's Church, Tuesday evening. He was not severely injured.

The all-day sewing which was to have been held by the Woman's Relief Corps at the home of Mrs. Jennie Short, Thursday, has been postponed on account of illness.

Special series of studies of "Christian Stewardship" will be concluded at the First M. E. Church prayer service, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Plans have been made to hold special observance of "Mother's Day" at that church, with carnations given to each mother who attends.

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Mrs. S. C. Wright, S. Detroit St., entertained twenty-six members of the Mizpah Bible Class, of the Cedarville Reformed Presbyterian Church, for luncheon, Tuesday. Three invited guests also enjoyed the gathering. A short business meeting was held after luncheon and a social time spent during the remainder of the meeting.

### TAXI CRASHES INTO DITCH ALONG PIKE

Losing control of the automobile when the steering wheel locked, a touring car driven by J. W. Hargrove, taxi driver, and occupied by a passenger whose name was not learned, careened over a three-foot embankment into a ditch and overturned, on the Wilmington Pike southeast of Xenia, early Wednesday morning.

Neither the driver or passenger was injured. Machine was damaged to the extent of a broken wheel.

Hargrove is in the employ of Curtis C. Hale, E. Market St., taxicab owner.

Signaling and drill work were the main subjects under consideration at the weekly meeting of Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, at the American Legion rooms Tuesday night.

The Troop 2 baseball team defeated Troop 1, 12 to 11 in a slugfest Tuesday afternoon. Campbell, Troop 1 pitcher, has a shade over Zell, South caught for the winners and Adair for the losers.

Robert Maxwell, Roger St., became a member of Troop 1 Tuesday it is announced.

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## DAMAGE SUIT ENTERS SECOND DAY IN COURT; \$10,000 ASKED

Jury trial of the \$10,852 damage suit of Mrs. Frances C. Laist, wife of Professor T. F. Laist, head of the lumber research department at Antioch College, against Dr. A. B. Kester, Xenia dentist, for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained in an auto accident December 15, 1925, was nearing a close in Common Pleas Court Wednesday afternoon.

Trial opened Tuesday before a jury of six men and six women and Judge R. L. Gowdy. The jury: J. W. Ray, Jesse H. Fawcett, Cora Bootes, George C. Stokes, Frank Graham, Sallie Conklin, J. S. Ayres, Emma Cosler, Thelma Barth, Fannie Moore, James E. Lewis and Nora Houston.

### MAYOR'S COURT

Two Fined—Baumaster, arrested Tuesday night by Pennsylvania Railroad Detective Cundiff was fined \$20 and costs by Mayor John Prugh Wednesday for intoxication. He pleaded guilty.

William Kolic, Cincinnati, was fined the costs, \$2.40 and ordered from the city Wednesday by Mayor Prugh when he pleaded guilty to intoxication. He was arrested Tuesday by Patrolman Ed Craig.

GIVEN HEARING—Hoke Ponder, colored, E. Market St., charged with larceny in an affidavit filed by his wife, was held by police Wednesday morning awaiting a hearing before Probate Judge S. C. Wright in the afternoon. He was arrested by Patrolman Fred Jones and Charles Thompson Tuesday.

Plaintiff was driving west on Church St., at a moderate rate of speed and defendant, driving north on King St., at a rate of thirty-five or forty miles an hour, smashed into her car at the intersection, overturning it, petition asserts.

Dr. Kester is charged with driving too fast, without due regard for safety of others, non-observance of the traffic rules and failure to abide by the slow sign painted on the street and the stop sign erected near the intersection.

Mrs. Laist seeks recovery of \$150 for medical attention, \$450 for repairs to her auto, \$252 because she was deprived of the use of the car for six weeks and an additional \$10,000.

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### MAYOR'S COURT

Two Fined—Baumaster, arrested Tuesday night by Pennsylvania Railroad Detective Cundiff was fined \$20 and costs by Mayor John Prugh Wednesday for intoxication. He pleaded guilty.

William Kolic, Cincinnati, was fined the costs, \$2.40 and ordered from the city Wednesday by Mayor Prugh when he pleaded guilty to intoxication. He was arrested Tuesday by Patrolman Ed Craig.

GIVEN HEARING—Hoke Ponder, colored, E. Market St., charged with larceny in an affidavit filed by his wife, was held by police Wednesday morning awaiting a hearing before Probate Judge S. C. Wright in the afternoon. He was arrested by Patrolman Fred Jones and Charles Thompson Tuesday.

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**THE TRAVEL BUG**

BACK in 1900 folks thought that other folks were doing a lot of gadding, especially when it was announced that during that year the total bill for the traveling public amounted to a billion dollars. That was the day when railroad travel was about the only means of any long distance jaunts, and when the railroad was used almost exclusively for commuting.

But what has happened in those 25 years speaks in loud volumes of the development of the automobile and the motor bus as means for further travel. This year it is estimated that the cost of gadding about in the family motor car, the community bus or the limited or local train, will reach the tremendous total of \$20,000,000,000. Five years ago it was \$12,000,000,000. Of the tremendous figure, more than half is spent for motor car and motor bus. The railroads, once the sole means for any considerable distance travel, now collect less than half of the total bill.

And the amount which is paid each year, returns itself many fold in better relationships between communities, in the development of the improved highways, in the health and happiness that comes with strong bodies and alert minds than can come only from being long in the great outdoors.

The time has passed when the oldest resident of the community can boast of never having been farther away than the county seat. Men and women, regardless of wealth or social position, travel here and there over the country, and in that traveling they learn a better way than could be taught them in all the textbooks printed, the wonders and the magnitude of the country which is theirs.

The travel bug has America, and it has it strong.

**CHECKS BY RADIO**

THE sending of a check across the Atlantic by radio marks another interesting development of the radio industry and the part which it is playing in the world of commerce and industry.

The report of the occurrence says that the radio check was received with as much calmness as if it had been passed over the counter, and was only delayed in payment for a few moments, pending the receipt of the necessary endorsements.

It may be that the time will come when much of the business of banking will be done by the radio. The system is necessarily imperfect at present, because the radio itself is imperfect.

But the telegraph was equally imperfect in the beginning. Yet today it is in universal use for all classes of business.

There is real news interest in the sending of checks by radio right now. But in a short time the habit will no doubt be so common that it will be indulged in without any other thought than that which is today given to the most ordinary use of the telegraph service in business transactions.

The field of the radio is a broad one, the real possibilities of which have scarcely been touched.

**THE GREAT PRESS AGENT**

SINCE the whole world is heir to "the grandeur that was Rome" the Mussolini proposal to restore Rome to its ancient splendor is one which will attract more sympathy abroad than most of his other ambitious projects.

The modern Italian has little more of the old Roman blood in his veins than the Frenchman or Jugo-Slav, but most of the architectural remains of the great empire of the Caesars are in Italy and it is to Mussolini's credit that he dreams of restoring and protecting them.

Since in matters of this sort the theatrical is to be expected the world will look on indulgently while the fascisti strive to make it appear that in them the old Roman spirit finds its modern flowering, that what the Caesars did Mussolini can do.

Mussolini's visit to Tripoli illustrated the efficiency of his press agents, and the rigors of the Italian censorship are obvious to all the world, so it is to be expected that the work of restoration will be duly advertised. The emphasis must not be too forced, however. It is because the thing has been overdone that nobody now takes at their face value the reports of "popular joy" and "public acclaim" emanating from the Mediterranean "boot" where every opponent of the reigning powers must hold his peace or suffer for his recklessness, and from which an American journalist was ejected because he dared communicate facts and not fascist propaganda to his newspaper in the United States.

**Just Folks**  
BY EDGAR A. GUEST

FAITH

Be wiser than the wise who know too much  
And scorn the very things they seem to praise;  
Keep to the simple and well-marked ways,  
Stretch not your hands some gilded joy to clutch,  
Dropping your dreams of happiness and such  
Fair fancies of your earlier, rosier days,  
When scoffers were not, but with eyes ablaze  
You looked on splendors which you dared not touch.

Let reason guide you, but let faith remain;  
That which the cynics scorn may still be true,  
What lies beyond the grave the

sharpest brain  
With all its brilliance knows no more than you.  
So be you wiser than these ultra-wise,  
And keep that faith wherein true culture lies.

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One minute—that's how quick Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads end the pain of corns. They do it safely. You risk no danger of infection. Zino-pads remove the cause—pressing or rubbing of shoes. They are thin, medicated, anti-septic, protective, healing. At all drug-gists and shoe dealers—35c.

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**1906-Twenty Years Ago-1926**

Plans for paving Green St. were outlined at City Council meeting. When this short and narrow street is paved, the Court House will then have paving on all four sides.

Cedarville College boys who failed to share in the seniors' victorious flag rush recently took it upon themselves to burn the seniors in effigy and bury them. In the struggle Wilbur Shaw received a dislocated shoulder.

Mr. Ernest Ashbaugh has accepted a position at the Adams Express office at the depot as assistant night clerk.

The champion mushroom hunters of the season came in Harry North and Edward Wood obtained 733 fine specimens on Caesar creek.

**Efficient Housekeeping**  
by Laura A. Karman

**TOMORROW'S MENU**

Breakfast  
Left-Over Rhubarb  
Cereal  
Creamed Dried Beef  
Muffins  
Luncheon  
Omelet  
Wholewheat Bread  
Jelly  
Cookies  
Cocoa

Dinner  
Lamb Stew with Carrots and Potatoes  
Creamed Asparagus on Toast  
Diced Pineapples  
French Pastries  
Coffee

**FRENCH PASTRIES**

"Please write an article on how to make French pastries at home," asks a Column Reader.

French pastries are made with Puff Paste: Sift one and one-fourth cups of pastry flour with one-fourth teaspoon of salt. With two knives, held like a pair of scissors, cut three-quarters of a cup of butter into this flour. But do not cut it all in; leave quite a number of medium-sized lumps (no larger than a hickory nut).

Now take out about one-third cupful of these flour lumps of butter, and set them aside to use later. With the knives, cut the remaining lumps more finely into the flour. Then heap up the flour into a little mound, make a hole in its center, and stir in (using a knife) one-third cup of ice water. It may possibly be necessary to use a little more than this amount of cold water, but do not use enough to make the mass really wet; it should be only moist enough to stick together so that it can be rolled.

Toss it onto a slightly floured bread board and roll to one-fourth inch in thickness. Dot one half of it with one-half the amount of flour lumps previously set aside, then fold the other half over and press edges together. Once more roll out. Again dot the sheet with lumps (using all the lumps this time), fold over, press edges together and roll out to one-half inch thick. Now fold in from either side, to form a roll. Put this roll on a plate and set it in the refrigerator for at least an hour.

At the end of the hour, have your oven very hot—about 550 degrees, if you use a Fahrenheit oven thermometer. The reason French pastry is so light and high, is because it is put very cold into a very hot oven. When you take the roll from the ice box, do not roll it again. Merely unfold it, cut it into squares and

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**SIDELIGHTS ON Greene County History**

**ELEVATION OF COUNTY**

Lowest land in Greene County is found on its southern boundary, in the valley of the Little Miami River. It ranges between 275 and 300 feet above low water at Cincinnati, or between 700 and 725 feet above sea level.

Highest land is found in Cedarville and Miami Twp., along the watersheds between the Little Miami and Massies Creek and the Little Miami and Mad River.

This high region may be safely estimated to be not less than 650 feet above Cincinnati or 1,100 feet above the sea. There is little difference between the elevation of these dividing ridges.

Summits of each consist of stratified beds of sand and gravel belonging to the last stage of the drift period. The highest elevation held by the bedded rock is probably in Miami Twp. to the north and northwest of Yellow Springs.

Following elevations of a few of the principal points in the county, most of which were determined by Franklin C. Hill many years ago, are all counted above low water at Cincinnati, which is 432 feet above the sea.

Elevation at the grade at the railroad depot in Xenia, 491 feet; Yellow Springs, grade of railroad at depot, 541 feet; Osborn railroad depot grade, 410 feet; Spring Valley railroad depot grade, 333 feet; Roxanna railroad grade at depot, 321 feet; Harbline's Station, railroad grade at depot, 370 feet; Oldtown railroad grade at depot, 396 feet; Goes Station railroad grade at depot, 427 feet; Berryhill's Hill, Spring Valley Twp., 560 feet; Shoup's quarry, two miles southwest of Harbline, 519 feet; gravel bank, Yellow Springs, about 625 feet; railroad grade one mile north of Yellow Springs, about 600 feet; Cedarville railroad grade, about 550 feet.

**IT MELTS FRECKLES AWAY IN 4 DAYS**

**Or Your Money Back**

Sayre & Hemphill was one of the first to learn that a clever chemist had at last discovered a real freckle remover—one that dissolves the brown pigment so that freckles actually melt away.

And when the unsightly spots have gone what a difference in the texture of the skin—as soft as the finest velvet and clear and clean and youthful looking.

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—Adv.

**Was Drugged By Constipation Poisons**

New York City Mr. Victor Stein writes—"I never realized why I went around with a doped, dizzy feeling most of the time. My head would swim and hurt, my stomach easily became upset and food had no appeal. My whole body felt wrong. All this must have been due to the poisons of constipation getting into my system, for after taking your wonderful Carter's Little Liver Pills these troubles have disappeared."

Carter's Little Liver Pills move the bowels in a gentle manner. Druggists, 25 & 75c red packages

**Today's Talk**

**THE MOVIES**

Next to the newspaper, to my mind, stand the movies in power and influence as a means of education, entertainment and usefulness.

The other evening I saw that magnificent spectacle, "Ben Hur." To my mind the greatest picture I have ever seen. As an achievement in the picturing of a great story it is sure to stand unique among all productions since the advent of moving pictures.

But it is as something to stir the heart, arouse the emotions and to inspire belief that it will be remembered.

Great credit is due the man who staged this super-production. His name is Fred Niblo. They tell me that he sees things in Empires, Tribes, Epochs, and Continents. He plays with Cosmic dimensions as a boy would with his blocks.

One notable touch to this great picture is the color scenes.

I went away from the seeing of this picture with a sense of richness in my veins. Admiration for the man who conceived the ideas and wrought them into something stupendous, and a sense of pride as well that men lived who wanted to spend their money for the entertainment and profit of millions through the medium of a picture that would educate, inspire and beautify everyone who might see it.

It was as a boy that I read Lew Wallace's "Ben Hur," but it all came back to me afresh after seeing this marvelous picture, and now its full significance is stamped upon my brain forever.

Such pictures as "Ben Hur" are worth all they cost. Every school boy and girl should see them, as well as every man and woman.

I would like to see a few medals of appreciation passed around to such producing geniuses as Fred Niblo. They are benefactors, like railroad builders, discoverers, inventors, and city beautifiers.

**DOLLAR DAY AT ENGILMAN'S**

**THURSDAY, MAY 6TH**

1 Pr. Men's Plain Blue Overalls or Jackets. Special \$1.00

2 Plain Blue Men's Chambray Shirts. Special \$1.00

2 Ladies' Gingham Dresses up to \$1.50 value. \$1.00

2 Men's Union Suits (Summer Weight) 74c value \$1.00

3 Ladies' Union Suits (Summer Weight) 45c value \$1.00

1 Pr. Men's Moleskin Work Pants, \$1.45 quality \$1.00

1 Pr. Boys' Knee Pants, Very special \$1.00

2 Window Blinds, Standard width. 59c value \$1.00

5 Pr. Ladies' Burson Hose, 39c value \$1.00

8 Pr. Men's Fine Work Socks, 15c value \$1.00

5 Pr. Children's Stockings, 25c value \$1.00

**DRY GOODS**

7 yds. Genuine "Hope" Bleached Muslin. Special \$1.00

7 yds. 36 in. Light and Dark Percale. Special \$1.00

6 yds. 32 in. Fine Dress Gingham. Special \$1.00

8 yds. Amoskeag Apron Gingham. Special \$1.00

5 yds. 36 in. Black Satine. Special \$1.00

5 yds. Fancy Pattern Broadcloth. Special \$1.00

5 yds. Asst. Colored Crepe (Extra quality) \$1.00

2 1-2 yds. White Table Damask. Special \$1.00

10 yds. Unbleached Cotton Toweling. Special \$1.00

8 yds. All Linen Crash Toweling. Special \$1.00

2 1-2 yds. Unbleached 9-4/Sheeting. Special \$1.00

2 yds. Genuine Asst. Colored Rayon Silk \$1.00

3 yds. Feather Ticking (Heavy) \$1.00

8 yds. 36 in. Unbleached Muslin, Good quality \$1.00

10 yds. Dark Outing to close out at \$1.00

5 yds. Plain White Outing, 36 inch \$1.00

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## EAGLES SPONSOR PROGRAMS IN CELEBRATION OF MOTHER'S DAY

In line with the national policy of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in paying tribute to mothers, Xenia Aerie will hold two programs Sunday in celebration of Mother's Day. The first program will be at the County Infirmary in the morning. Eagles will meet at the hall at 9 o'clock and automobiles will be ready at 10 o'clock to conduct the O. S. and S. O. Home Cadet Band to the Infirmary for a concert at 10:45 o'clock.

Eagles will distribute flowers and candy to mothers at the institution and will plant two white birch trees on the grounds in commemoration of mothers. An address will be given at special services in the Infirmary chapel Sunday morning, the speaker yet to be selected.

The afternoon program will start with the initiation of a Mother's Day class of fifteen candidates at the hall at 1 o'clock. These exercises will be followed by a program at the O. S. and S. O. Home at 3 o'clock which will include a concert by the Home Cadet Band, a dress parade by the Home Battalion followed by another concert.

Four silver birch trees will be planted on the Home grounds in honor of mothers and Attorney Justin Altschul, of Springfield Aerie, No. 357 will deliver an address. Both programs are on daylight saving time and the public is cordially invited.

## BOWLING

Unseating of leaders in Class B and Class C and the wonderful bowling of William Horner in Class A were the features of Tuesday night's games in the city individual bowling tournament. Horner cleared another hurdle in his race to the Class A championship when he defeated Arch Jeffries two games in three. He rolled a 258 score his first game and finished with a 647 total. Jeffries bowled two 200 games. Horner has but one more league game, a match with William Smith.

Fred Horner, tied with Bales for the Class B leadership, broke the knot when he defeated Bales the odd game in three.

Swindler snatched the Class C leadership by winning two from Carl Highley. Anderson won all three games from Barnett in a second Class C match.

Class A Results		
Jeffries	203	212 159
W. Horner	258	199 190
Class B Results		
Bales	190	150 157
F. Horner	179	202 187
Class C Results		
Highley	148	160 161
Swindler	178	166 160
Anderson	156	202 153
Barnett	149	129 154

## KIWANIANS LEARN ABOUT ASTRONOMY

Relation of the world to the other planets, the size and importance of the different planets and air bodies, was interestingly described by Stewart L. Tatum, president of the Springfield Kiwanis Club, at the meeting of Xenia Kiwanians, Tuesday evening.

Mr. Tatum's address was replete with scientific data and brought out many details not generally known. The talk followed the regular dinner at the Goody Shoppe.

Charles Reed, secretary of the Springfield Club, made a brief talk. Several club songs, words for which were written by Dr. A. M. Patterson, were introduced at the meeting.

## TRAFFIC CLUB AT SPRINGFIELD SOON

More than 200 members are expected to attend the next monthly dinner-meeting of the Miami Valley Traffic Club in the Shawnee Hotel at Springfield, O., on the evening of May 17. It will be the first meeting of the organization ever held in that city.

"What America Means to Me," will be the subject of a talk by Dr. Arthur Walwyn Evans, Springfield, world traveler and lecturer, who will make the principal address before the gathering.

A. H. Finlay, Xenia, president of the club, will preside.

## ELECTION BOARD TO ORGANIZE FRIDAY

Members of the board of elections will hold their annual reorganization meeting at the Court House Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock to elect a chief deputy and clerk for the ensuing year.

John Alexander, Yellow Springs, Democrat, present chief, retires as a member of the board this year. Vacancy has been filled by appointment of Ralph Kendig, Valley Road, Beavercreek Twp., Democrat.

Carl Short, Republican, is present clerk of the board.

Should a Democratic chief be elected as has been the case for a number of years, a Republican clerk will be named.

As both Republicans and Democrats are equally represented on the board, friction at the election is expected.

## On The Air From Cincinnati

Station WSAI:

6:45 p. m.—chime concert.  
7:00—New York music, a 7:30 to 8:00—saxophone octet, from New York.  
10:00—address.  
10:15—string quartet.  
Station WLW:

7:00—Hotel Gibson orchestra.  
7:30—talks and scores.  
7:40—concert.  
8:00—negro spirituals.  
8:20—concert.  
9:45—selected poems, trio and male quartet.  
11:00—dance orchestra and entertainers.  
Station WKRC:

6:00—Hotel Alms orchestra.  
8:00—book review.  
8:15—piano solos.  
8:30—tenor solos.  
9:00—string trio.  
12:00—popular program.

## The Theatre

Directors are finding it harder every day to find actors and actresses who will easily be cast into a low-brow play. That is, the ones who can fit into the part and "put their lines across" without stilt or stutter.

Actresses who have never been in college have cultivated such a Bryn Mawr accent that it becomes impossible for them to sound as if they had ever chewed gum behind a bargain counter.

While rehearsing "Love 'Em and Leave 'Em," by George Abbott and John V. A. Weaver, Abbott tore his hair. He called the entire company to the footlights and said flatly: "You sound like a lot of swells. Why don't you get out among the people who talk like this and listen to them?"

The company scurried off in various directions. Florence Johns went to a department store and worked behind the stocking counter. Donald Macdonald, the male lead, took a room in a boarding house where he got first-hand information on the latest slang.

Catherine Costock, young Baptist Sunday School teacher of Long Beach, Calif., won the first prize of \$1,000 for her suggestion of Noah and his Ark as the basis for "Deluge." Cecil B. DeMille's next production, DeMille is planning to spend a million dollars on its film.

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## Daily Market News

### LIVE STOCK

#### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Hogs—Receipts, 13,000; market, mostly 10@15c higher, packing sows, 25@40c higher; top, \$13.85; bulk, \$12.60@13.40; heavyweight, medium choice, \$12.85@13.25; medium weight, medium choice, \$12.85@13.50; light weight, common choice, \$12.55@13.75; light hogs, common choice, \$12.75@13.85; packing sows, 25@40c higher, \$11.50@13.25@13.90.

### SPRING VALLEY

Little Martha Kennon is very seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hartsock and daughter, and Mrs. Flora Mason visited Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Hartsock in Springfield.

Mrs. W. E. Bogan is ill at the home of her son Evan Bogan, in the Middletown neighborhood.

The Junior and Senior Classes of the High School attended the County Junior-Senior Banquet at Xenia, Tuesday evening, May 4. Representatives from the local monthly meeting of the Friends Church have been appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting at Waynesville next Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Young were visiting relatives last week in Haversville, Cincinnati and Hamilton.

The funeral of Charles Craig, who died near Yellow Springs, was held at the Friends Church here, conducted by Rev. T. M. Scarff, assisted by Rev. H. O. Collins.

Mass Day exercises of the township grade schools will be held next Friday afternoon; also the eighth grade commencement.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Irons, of Clyde, O., were Sunday guests of relatives here.

Dr. and Mrs. Bowers are enjoying a visit from Dr. Bowers' mother.

### 12; slaughter pigs, medium choice,

13.25@13.90.

Slaughter Cattle and Calves—Steers, good choice, \$9.25@10.30; choice, \$9.60@10.40; good, \$9.15@9.75; medium, \$8.25@9.25; Steers, choice, \$9.75@10.40; good, \$9.25@9.75; medium, 8.25@9.25; common, \$6.75@8.25.

Light Yearlings Steers and Heifers—Good and choice, \$8.75@10.10; Heifers—Good and choice, \$7.25@7.75; common and medium, \$5.75@8.35.

Cows—Good and choice, \$6.50@7.85; common and medium, \$5.65@6.60; canners and cutters, \$4.50@5.65; medium to choice, \$6.25@8.25.

Vealers—Cull to choice, \$5@12.25. Feeders and Stocker Cattle—Steers, \$6.25@9.30.

Lambs—Light and handy weight medium choice, \$14@15; cull and common, \$12@14.

Ewes—Common to choice, \$6.50@10.25; canners and cutters, \$2.50@6.50.

Feeding lambs, \$12.50@14.75.

### CINCINNATI CATTLE MARKET

Cattle—receipts, 500; market steady.

Steers, good to choice, \$9@9.50.

Calves—market, 50c lower; good to choice, \$11@11.50.

Lambs—Light and handy weight medium choice, \$14@15; cull and common, \$12@14.

Ewes—Common to choice, \$6.50@10.25; canners and cutters, \$2.50@6.50.

Feeding lambs, \$12.50@14.75.

### PITTSBURGH

Cattle—receipts, light, market, \$9.50@9.75; choice, \$9.25@9.50; good, \$7.25@8.25; fair, \$12.50@13.

Sheep and Lambs—receipts, light; market, strong and steady; prime wethers, \$9.50@9.75; good, \$8.75@9.25; fair mixed, \$6.50@7.00; yearling lambs, \$9.00@10.00.

Hogs—receipts, light; market, higher; prime heavy, \$13.00@13.50; mediums, \$14.00@14.25; heavy Yorkers, \$14.25@14.50; light Yorkers, \$14.35@14.50; pigs, \$14.35@14.50; roughs, \$10.50@11.75, stags, \$6.00@7.00.

### DAYTON

Receipts, 6 cars; market 15c@25c higher.

Heavies, 200 lbs., 13.15. Extreme heavies, 12.75. Medium, 130-200, 13.50.

Sows, 8.00@10.50. Pigs, 140 lbs. down, 10.00@12.00.

### CATTLE

Receipts, light; market steady.

Best fat steers, 7.50@9.00. Veal calves, 7.00@10.50. Medium butcher steers, 7.00@8.00. Medium butcher

heifers, 6.00@7.00. Best butcher heifers, 7.00@8.50. Best fat cows, 5.00@6.50. Medium cows, 4.00@5.00. Bologna cows, 3.00@4.00. Bulls, 5.00@6.50.

### SHEEP

Spring Lambs, \$10.00@12.00. Sheep, 2.00@5.00.

### XENIA

(J. W. Faulkner) (Corrected Daily)

Hogs—Heavies, \$12.25; heavy mixed, \$12.50; medium, \$13.00; pigs, \$13.00; sows, \$6@9.50; stags, \$4.00@6.00.

Cattle—Butcher steers, \$7@8.50; stock heifers, \$5@6.50; stock heifers, \$5.00; cows, \$4@5; bologna cows, \$2@3; bulls \$4@5.

### GRAIN

Flour and Grain (By the Durt Milling Co.) (Prices being paid for grain at mill.)

Wheat No. 1, New, \$1.60. Rye, No. 2, 75c per bu. Corn, 80c per 100 lbs. Oats, per bu, 38c.

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BUTTER: Extra in tub lots, 42c@43c. Extra, 39c@40c. Firsts, 38c@39c. Packing stock, 28c.

EGG: Extra firsts, 32c. Northern Ohio Extra firsts, 31c. Ohio extra firsts, 31c. Ohio, 29@29.12c. Western firsts, 29c.

CHEESE: Old York state, (old) 30@32c. Old York State, (new) 24@25c. Limburger, Wisconsin, 34@35c. New York, 35c. Swiss, fancy new, 40@42c. Brick, 25@26c.

POTATOES: Ohio, \$3.15@3.25. Idaho Bakers, \$6 per 120 lbs. Wisconsin, \$7.25@7.50 per 150 lb. Florida, No. 1, \$11.75. Texas Triumphs, \$7 per 100 lb. sack.

DAYTON PRODUCE Retail Prices (Correct by The Joe Frank Co.)

Butter, 48c lb. Eggs, 30c dozen. Roasting chickens, 45c lb. Stewing chickens, 45c lb. 1925 Fries, 55c lb. 1926 Fries, 50c.

Boiling Chickens, 30c lb. Spring Ducks, 50c lb. Live Hens, 32c lb. Live Roosters, 20c lb.

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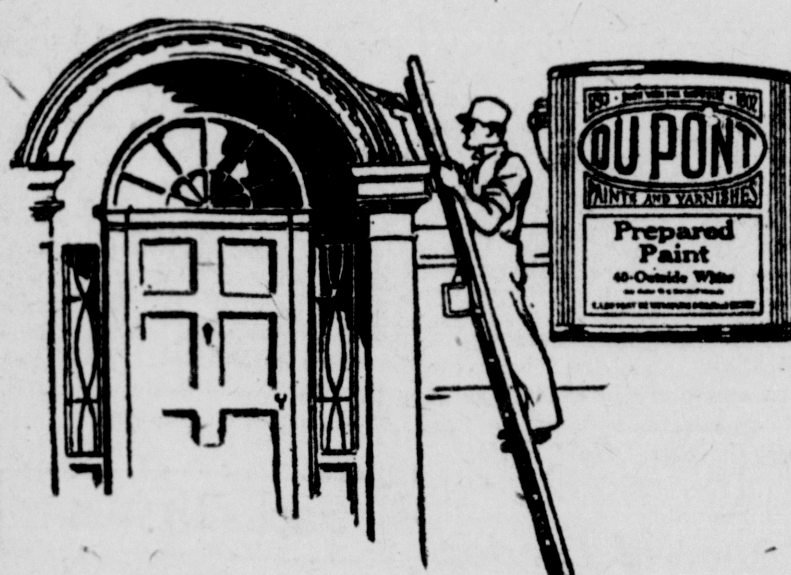
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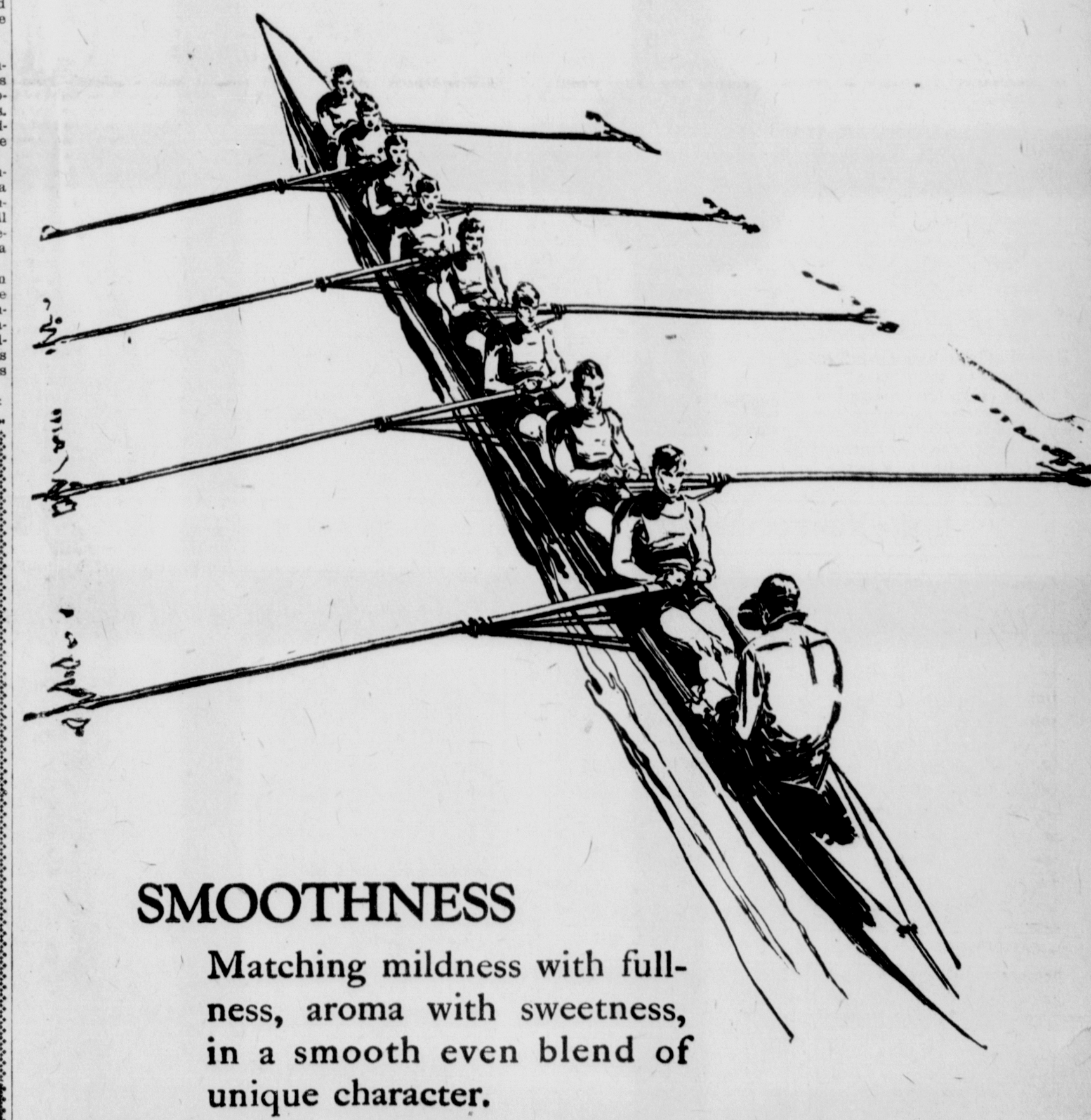
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# FOLLOWING THE NEWS WITH THE CAMERA

24 Ounces!



This is what the fashionable American girl will wear during the Summer if she adopts the Parisian fad of light weight costumes for street wear. The outfit worn by this miss weighs exactly 24 ounces, or a pound and a half.

Arouses Klan



The marriage of Miss Hazel Williams, mulatto, of Peekskill, N. Y., to Sidney Barrett, automobile man, brought forth so many ominous threats from persons claiming to be members of the Ku Klux Klan that the couple vanished from the city for their honeymoon.

Lavish Trimming Marks This Coat



MRS. HENRIETTA HARGROVE

Believing she had fled "the monotony of Main Street" in Elmira, N. Y., the husband of Mrs. Henrietta Hargrove has asked police of Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Buffalo, and Cleveland to seek her.

City Treasurer



Miss Nora Montbriand, only twenty-three years old, has been elected City Treasurer of Washburn, Wis., the same city which elected Paul Ungrodt Mayor when he was twenty-three. Miss Montbriand is the youngest woman to hold such an important position in the history of the United States.

They Figure in the News



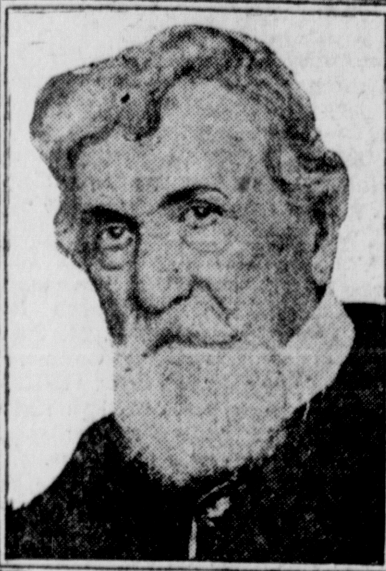
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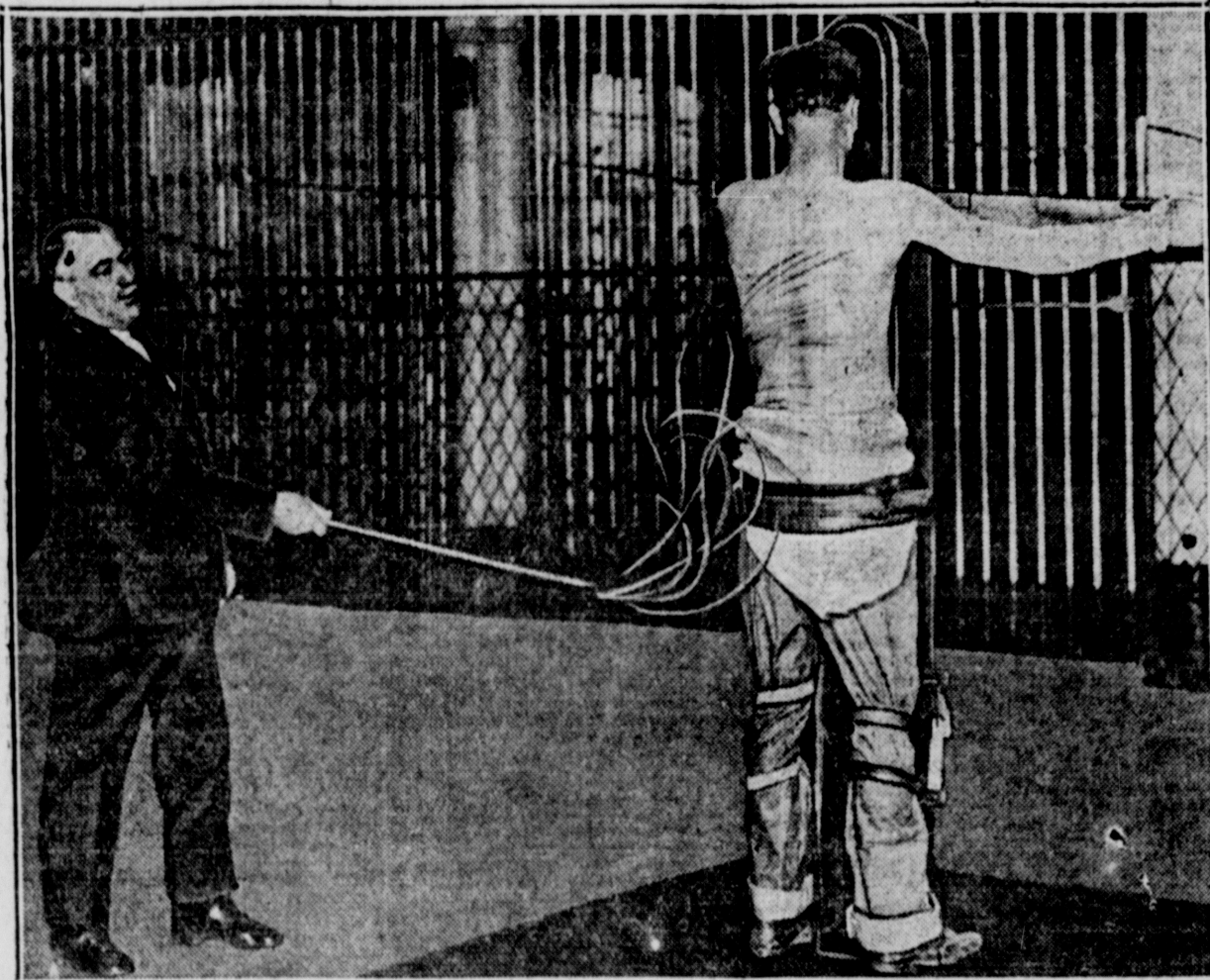
CARDINAL CERRETTI



HUDSON MAXIM

Judge A. J. Talley, of New York, testifying at the Senate prohibition hearing, declared the dry law had failed. Henry W. Taft, brother of the Chief Justice, predicted the Volstead Act will remain in force. Cardinal Cerretti, of Paris, was assigned to Italy to oppose Fascism. Hudson Maxim, the inventor, a witness at the Senate "wet and dry" clash, called prohibition "the greatest blight ever visited on humanity."

Wife-Beater Calm Under Lash's Sting

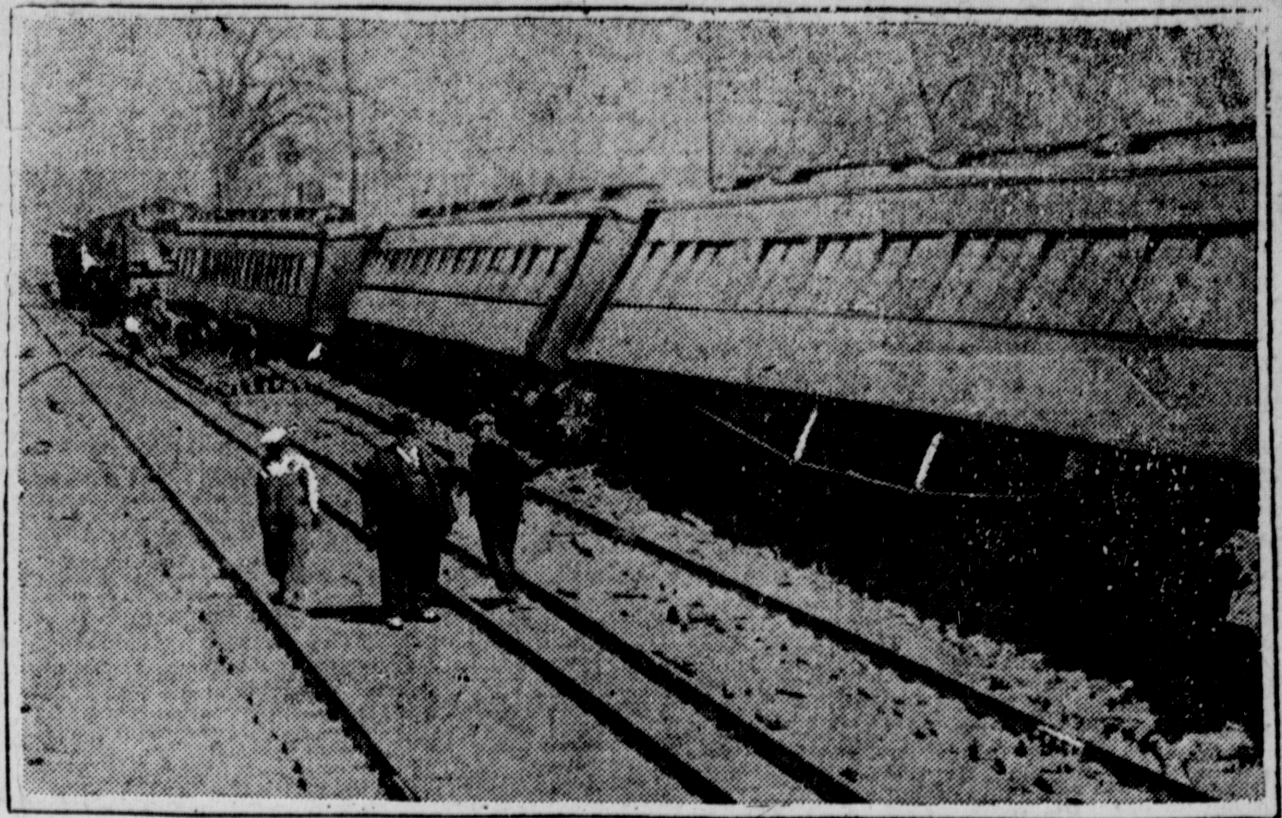


This photo shows James H. Kingsmore, convicted of beating his wife, being given five lashes with the cat-o-nine-tails in the Baltimore City Jail. Sheriff John E. Potee is wielding the whip. Kingsmore took his punishment without a whimper.

London's Social Elite No Longer Spurn Work; Take to It



Time was when London society folk who turned to work were ostracized from polite circles. Now the most exclusive rich and noble women are entering the business world. Top row, left to right, Princess Irene Youssouppoff, wife of a Russian nobleman, has opened a fashionable gown shop; the Hon. Lettice Harbord, daughter of Lord and Lady Suffield runs a modern truck farm and Lady Poynter, wife of Sir Ambrose Poynter, famous architect, is a house decorator. Bottom row, left to right, Mrs. Richard G. Howard-Visse, wife of Lieut. Col. Howard-Visse, conducts a large grocery business; Miss Betty Joel, daughter of Sir James Stewart Lockhart, is a designer of furniture, while the Countess of Clonmel runs a London laundry.



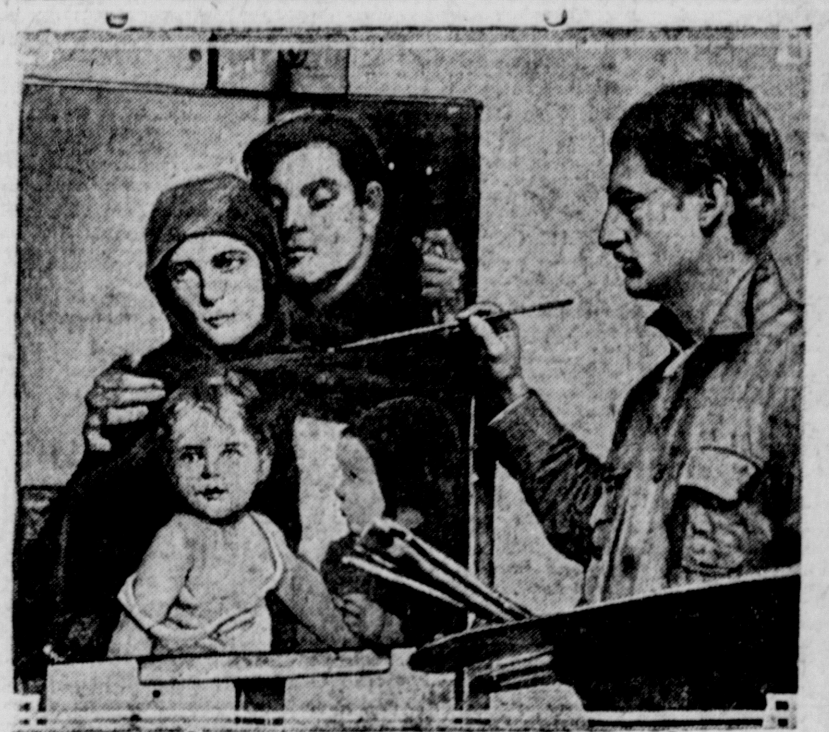
Ninety passengers on the Montreal to Boston Express, wrecked at Gerrish, New Hampshire, owe their lives to the fact that when the pullmans were yanked from the track they tipped against a sandbank and could not turn over. Photo shows derailed cars.

Another Term for Boy Mayo



Washburn, Wis., evidently is satisfied with the rule of Paul Ungrodt, whom it elected mayor when he was 23 and fresh from college, for it is expected he will be reelected. His accomplishments include freeing the city from indebtedness.

Paints Girl He Deserted



An international inquiry into the abandonment of an English girl, who left her baby in a Paris hotel and vanished, resulted in admission by Art Wilson, New York artist, that he is the man in the case. He exhibited a religious painting for which the girl posed.

Seeks Freedom of Philippines



In a joint resolution to the House, Rep. Adolph J. Sabath, Ill., proposes independence of the Philippines under the protection of international treaties, making them perpetually neutral territory.

Choicest of All Architectural Honors Is His



Prof. Ragnar Ostberg, of Stockholm, Sweden, has just been awarded the world's greatest architectural honor of the year, the Royal Gold Medal.

Enters Oklahoma Senatorial Race

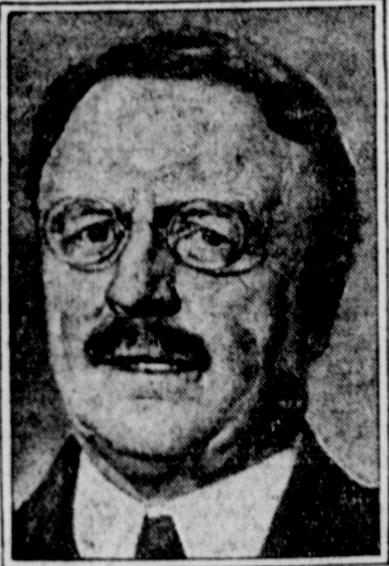


Rep. Elmer Thomas (above), of Oklahoma, Democrat, is opposing John W. Harrell, incumbent, Republican, in the senatorial race in that state. The latter was first Republican Oklahoman ever elected to the senate.

In the News of the Day



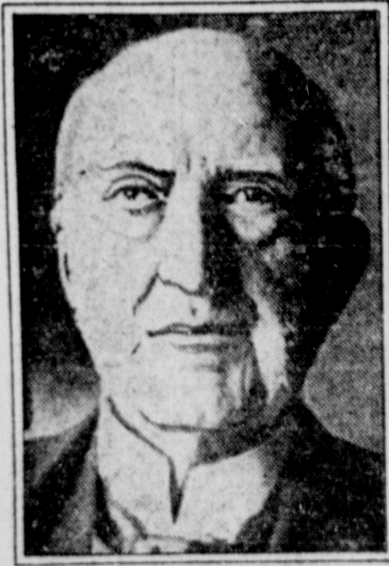
GOVERNOR RITCHIE



JOHN F. Hylan



THEODORE ROOSEVELT



CHAUNCEY DEPEW

Friends of Governor Ritchie, of Maryland, planned to obtain a "second choice" endorsement of him for the Democratic Presidential nomination from New York, presuming that Governor Smith is "favorite son." The pension of former Mayor Hylan, of New York, and a score of other former city employees was declared invalid after a court fight. Theodore Roosevelt, son of the late President, declared the Volstead Act is a breeder of crime. Chauncey Depew, capitalist, at the age of ninety-two, declared he believed in God, the United States, the radio and the automobile.

New Sheriff



Mrs. Clara Senecal has been named Sheriff of Clinton County, N. Y., by Governor Smith to succeed her husband, who died recently. Her term has a year to run.

Bishop of London Plans U. S. Visit



Eight universities will hear addresses by the Rt. Rev. Arthur F. W. Ingram, Anglican bishop of London, when he visited the U. S. in the spring. He will spend the summer in Canada.

Backs Dry Law



BISHOP DARLING

Bishop James Henry Darling of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Harrisburg, Pa., told the Senate Committee investigating prohibition, that the rank and file of the members of the Catholic church favor the dry law, despite the moderate views of Cardinals O'Connell, Hayes and Mundelein.







## GUARDIAN SETTLES RAILROAD CLAIM

In settlement of any claim against the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., Roy A. Bowermaster, as guardian of Walter Bowermaster, 12, who lost a leg when he stumbled and fell beneath a cut of freight cars in the local Pennsylvania yards a few months ago, has been allowed \$500 in cash and \$205 in hospital bills. Railroad also paid the court costs in the case.

Entry approving the settlement has been filed in Probate Court. According to Judge S. C. Wright, the youth is said to have been playing in the yards and made an attempt to steal a ride on one of the cars being switched on the tracks when he lost his footing and failing to recover his balance, fell.

## CEDARVILLE

The Fortnightly Club met with Miss Ruth Patton in Springfield, Tuesday night.

Miss Mary Williamson spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Midtown attending the library meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Owens, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hartman and family and Miss Ruth Mitchell spent Sunday with friends near Cincinnati.

Mrs. Zetta Bull was hostess to the members of the Wednesday Afternoon Club last week. About twenty-five members and friends were entertained.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Jameson had for their guests, a couple of days last week, Mr. and Mrs. James Work, of Ft. Morgan, Colo. They left Thursday morning on a trip to New York.

The Golden Rule class of the M. E. Church was entertained Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Aden Barlow.

Mr. A. C. Ewbank, who has been teaching at Chester, O., for two years is at home, the school term having ended. "Jack" will make an effort to enlist in the aviation service of the war department.

Mr. John Lott and wife, of Pittsburgh, drove over last Saturday to visit their parents. Mrs. Lott will remain for the week and Mr. Lott returned to Pittsburgh but joined his wife here, Friday.

Warren Barber returned home

last week. He has been a member of the Miller Amusement Co. band for a few months.

The annual inspection of the O. E. S. Chapter 118, was held at the Masonic Lodge, rooms last Monday evening. Mrs. Ethel B. Webster, deputy grand matron, was the inspecting officer and reported the work of the chapter fine. Miss Mary C. Townsley and Mr. Harry S. Townsley were made members at that time. Forty-three members and thirty-eight visitors were present. The chapter presented Mrs. Webster with a silver bon bon dish.

The friends of Mr. J. R. Gano devoted Tuesday in plowing for him. Last February Mr. Gano sustained a fall from a load of hay and has been laid up since that time with an injured knee. Twelve neighbors responded and would have finished plowing had not rain set in. The ladies came along and brought dinner which was served at the Gano home.

The Masonic Lodge of this place put on special work Friday afternoon and night. The first, second and third degrees were given in a covered dish supper was served at 6:30.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ridgway moved to their new home in Xenia. Miss Mable Crain, Mrs. Ridgway's niece, will make her home with them.

The marriage of Miss Lydia Shaw, of Yellow Springs, and Mr. Raymond Bull, of this place, took place Thursday at noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shaw. The bride and groom left for a short wedding trip and upon their return will be at home on the groom's farm east of town.

## FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

THURSDAY

KGO, Oakland, (361), 8 p. m., PCST.—KGO Players.

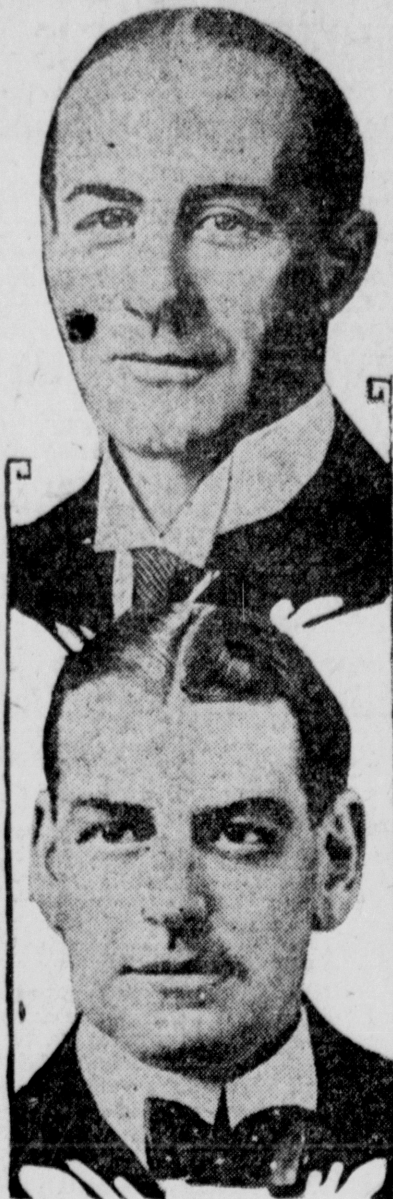
CNBM, Montreal, (411), 9 p. m., Eastern Daylight.—Metropolitan Orchestra.

WEAF Hook Up, 9:30 p. m., Eastern Daylight.—Eskimos and Knecht's Orchestra.

WOAW, Omaha, (526), 10:30 p. m., CST.—The Nightingales.

WTIC, Hartford, (376), 7:15 p. m., EST.—Yale Musical program.

## Dictators



The two men in charge of the Government forces in the labor war that is sweeping Britain, are Premier Stanley Baldwin (top) and Postmaster-General Sir William Mitchell Thomson.

## EMPLOYMENT UNDER PAR-IN BUILDING

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 5.—Employment in the construction industry in Ohio was 26 per cent below par in March, the bureau of business research, Ohio State University, reports in the current issue of its "Bulletin of Business Research." The low employment in building trades during that month is ascribed to the prevailing bad weather.

The number of wage earners in this industry was 13.2 percent smaller than in February, while the March wage payments were 16.9 percent less than in the previous month.

An increase in building contracts for six months is shown in four of the largest cities of the state: Cleveland, Cincinnati, Dayton and Akron. Youngstown and Dayton also show increases during February.

"According to the bank debts data, and also according to the building increase data," the bureau reports, "Dayton stands out as one of the most prosperous cities of the state where there has been a more sustained activity and continued growth in industry and trade than elsewhere."

## SPRING ENDANGERS PERISHABLE FOOD

TOLEDO, O., May 5.—Spring days, with their swift changes of temperature, endanger the perish-

able food supply in the home and constitute a hazard to the health of the household.

A warning to this effect has been issued by the Ohio Association of Ice Industries.

"Simple little precautions are doing a great deal in the way of improving health," says the association. "It has been learned through scientific test, that many perishable foods spoil rapidly and some dangerously when their temperature reaches fifty degrees or more."

## DIES MONDAY

Funeral services for William C. Schuster, Jr., 19, of 176 Baltimore St., Dayton, who passed away Monday afternoon at Miami Val-

ley Hospital, Dayton, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence with interment in Fairfield Cemetery.

## SUPPER

1st Lutheran Church  
W. Main St.

Thursday Eve. May 6, 5:30  
Creamed Chicken, Patties,  
Noodles Mashed Potatoes,  
Gravy, Lettuce Salad, Hot  
Rolls Butter, Coconut  
Cream Pie, Coffee.  
Children 25c. Adults 50c.  
MRS. FILSON  
N. Detroit St.

## MIDDLE AGE BRINGS NEW INTERESTS

For Women in Good Health



MRS. HARVEY TUCKER  
408 WALKER STREET, SHELBYVILLE, IND.

"Grow old along with me,  
The best is yet to be"

With her children grown up, the middle-aged woman finds time to do the things she never had time to do before—read the new books, see the new plays, enjoy her grandchildren, take an active part in church and civic affairs. Far from being pushed aside by the younger set, she finds a full, rich life of her own. That is, if her health is good.

Thousands of women of middle age, say they owe their vigor and health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Those who have

learned through their own experience the merit of this dependable medicine are enthusiastic in recommending it to their friends and neighbors.

"I had been in bad condition for three months. I could not do my work. One day I read what you medicine had done and just had a feeling that it would help me, so I sent and got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I had only taken half a bottle when I got up and started to do my work. It gave me an appetite, and helped me wonderfully. I can not praise this medicine highly enough. I surely will advise all women and girls to take it, and they don't have to use rouge to look healthy. My two daughters are taking it now and one is also using the Sanative Wash. I am willing to have you use this testimonial and I will answer letters from women asking about the medicine."—Mrs. HARVEY TUCKER, 408 Walker St., Shelbyville, Indiana.

"I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the little books you give away and began to take the medicine. After the first few bottles I began to feel better and could eat better and had fewer headaches. I feel like a different person. At anytime that I don't feel good I take the Vegetable Compound again, as I always keep a bottle on hand. You may use this letter for every word is true. I will answer any letters sent to me."—Mrs. JENNIE BOLLEMAN, 516 Smith St., West Hoboken, N. J.

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LIKE the chap in the song, I'm sitting on top of the world. And it's not a bad world when you look at it from all sides. I've hit some rough spots, but managed to keep my seat. I want to let it be known that the road has been a heap smoother since I discovered Prince Albert. Here is tobacco!

My old jimmy-pipe and Prince Albert and I go along just singin' a song from morning to midnight. Whenever I get to feeling low, I take out my pipe, tamp a load of good old P. A. into the muzzle and light up. Old Man Trouble takes French leave the minute that wonderful smoke starts up the stem.

Prince Albert is friendly in spirit and friendly in fact. It never bites my tongue or parches my throat. They tell me the Prince Albert process fixed that for me and millions like me. I only know that P. A. is cool and satisfying as spring-water on a hot afternoon and that it suits me to a T.

You're welcome to this leaf out of my book. If you're not smoking P. A., you're not getting full enjoyment out of your pipe. Just get yourself a tidy red tin of Prince Albert. Load up your old jimmy-pipe and light up. Nothing complicated about that, is there? Well, that's my formula. It always works for me.

# PRINCE ALBERT

—no other tobacco is like it!

P. A. is sold everywhere in tidy red tins, pound and half-pound tin humidors, and pound crystal-glass humidors with sponge-moistener top. And always with every bit of bite and punch removed by the Prince Albert process.



## Correct weight can be yours



## be shapely!

"I DO NOT want to be thin! I just want to be my right weight! I want these hollows filled out. I just want enough firm, plump flesh on my bones to fill out my figure."

Of course you do. You want a figure that you can drape your clothes on—not just hang them on! What's the use of having pretty clothes, if they just hang on you? And what would you say if you were told you could have the figure you want? A graceful, well rounded body—firm, solid flesh—just enough—just your right weight? You'd be mighty happy, wouldn't you?

Well, then, be happy—because you can have it! Put plenty of red cells in your blood and watch your weight go up to where you want it! That's what's the matter with you! Your blood is impoverished. You need more rich, red blood. S. S. S. is the thing to put red blood in your system. S. S. S. helps Nature build red-blood-cells by the millions.

You just try S. S. S. and watch how quickly you begin to fill out your clothes. Notice your skin clear of unsightly blemishes—your appetite increase—strength come to flabby muscles and vim and vigor fill your whole system. It's red blood that does it. And S. S. S. surely helps Nature build that red blood. S. S. S. is sold by all drug stores. The larger bottle is more economical.



## GAS BUGGIES—Who Did It?

GOODNESS!! ELEVEN O'CLOCK AND HEM ISN'T BACK FROM THE GARAGE YET---SUCH NERVE!! KEEPING ME UP ALL HOURS OF THE NIGHT--I'VE DONE NOTHING BUT DREAM ABOUT OUR ANTIQUE SHOP--I COULD EVEN HEAR HEM HAMMERING AWAY AT THE ALTERATIONS--



I THOUGHT I HEARD SOMEONE ON THE PORCH--FIDDLESTICKS--I'M NERVOUS--I'M SHAKING ALL OVER--WHAT'S THAT!!--SOUNDS LIKE MOANING--WHY--IT'S HEM!!



FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE, HEM--WHAT'S THE MATTER--YOU'RE HURT!!--LOOK AT YOUR HEAD--IT'S BLEEDING--AND YOUR COAT--IT'S ALL TORN TO SHREDS!!--WHY--WHAT IN THE WORLD--?



HELP ME INTO THE HOUSE!!--DON'T STAND THERE ASKIN' QUESTIONS WHILE I BLEED TO DEATH--FIND SOME BANDAGES--GET THE ARNICA--DO SOMETHING!!--I'M GETTING WEAK!!



THEY HADN'T FINISHED FIXIN' THE BUS, SO I DECIDED TO LEAVE IT THERE AND WALK HOME--IT'S ONLY TWO BLOCKS--JUST AS I REACHED THAT BIG TREE OUT IN FRONT, A REGULAR GIANT, STEPPED OUT OF THE SHADOWS AND ASKED ME THE TIME--WELL--BEFORE I THOUGHT, I TOOK OUT MY WATCH, AND JUST AS I LEANED OVER TO GET THE LIGHT ON IT--WHANG--AND I PASSED OUT--WHY OF COURSE IT WAS A STICK-UP--IT'S A LUCKY THING HE DIDN'T KILL ME--



By BECK

## My Matrimonial Vacation by VIOLET DARE

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### WHO'S WHO AND WHAT'S HAPPENED

NANCY LARRABEE remains in New York with her mother.

VIRGINIA, when her husband, JIM LARRABEE, who is an army officer, goes to the Philippines on foreign service. Disillusioned after six months of marriage when she sees another woman in her husband's arms, she plays the social game as her mother dictates, in her relationship with

FRANK HARRISON, a wealthy man twice her age, and

NICHOLAS WAYNE, whom she really likes.

### TODAY'S INSTALMENT

### XVI--A LITTLE GAME OF LOVE

MY LITTLE plan for making Nick's wife his former wife, rather--jealous worked perfectly.

I could watch her across the restaurant, out of the corner of my eye. Nick played up to me beautifully especially after he saw that she could hardly eat for watching us. He smiled down at me, and when I looked over toward a door and told him I felt a draft, he summoned a waiter and had the door closed as fiercely as if it had been a royal princess.

I had a beautiful time. Sometimes I wish I'd been an actress. It must be such fun to throw yourself into a new role. I almost convinced myself that I was crazy about Nick--and it wasn't hard at all. He's awfully attractive, and so nice and sincere.

"Lord, Nancy, if I'd known you could be like this, I'd have--well, I've cared enough for you as it is," he said. "I wish I dared hope you meant any of the nice things you're saying!"

I didn't answer, but performed one of my prettier tricks--took two cigarettes, put the tips of both of them in my mouth, and leaned forward to light them at one of the candles that burned in a beautiful old brass candelabra on our table.

Then I took one of them, kissed it lightly, and handed it to him. I never told him about smoking, but it's worth bothering with a cigarette just to do that.

Nick's wife just stared at me. Her hands lay on the table, clenched tight. Her cheeks were flaming.

She turned prettily to the man and said something, then rose and came over to our table.

"Hello, Nick," she said, assuming a nonchalance which I was sure she didn't feel. "How are you?"

He leaped to his feet so eagerly that I was afraid he'd give our little game away. But when he spoke his voice was a marvel of polite disinterestedness.

"This is great, seeing you here to-night!" he exclaimed. And then he went on, as if he'd found something very precious and wanted her to share the wonderful privilege--"I want you to meet Miss Larrabee--Nancy dear."

She shook hands with me as if she'd have liked to strangle me. I saw her glance at Nick that I was married. I'd told Nick that I just wore the wedding ring for luck. I could see that she set me down as a widow, and feared me twice as much for that reason.

As if a widow had anything on the young girl of today!



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yacht that belonged to somebody else. Other people's luxury has never appealed to me; unless there's some chance of my enjoying it. I don't care anything about it.

But that yacht was part of Nick's work, and I knew better than to let him know that it meant nothing to me. And of course after you get into the habit of playing a game you can't get out of it, whether you enjoy it or not. I'd spent my whole life trying to do whatever would please other people, men especially.

The yacht really was beautiful. Being enthusiastic about it was not hard at all. And Nick was so proud of it! He kept pointing out details that I'd never have noticed, things that didn't seem at all important to me, and when I'd speak of something that I liked especially he was like a young father whose baby you're admiring, pleased as Punch.

"Who owns the boat, Nick?" I asked, as we sauntered through the main cabin.

"Funny thing, but I don't know. It's been sold, just recently--only a day or two ago, in fact. It was sold through an agent, and the name hasn't been made public yet."

Well, he's a lucky man," I answered lightly. "Wish I knew him."

Little did I suspect that I did know him--or how soon I was to find out that I did!

Tomorrow--The Yacht's Owner Appears.